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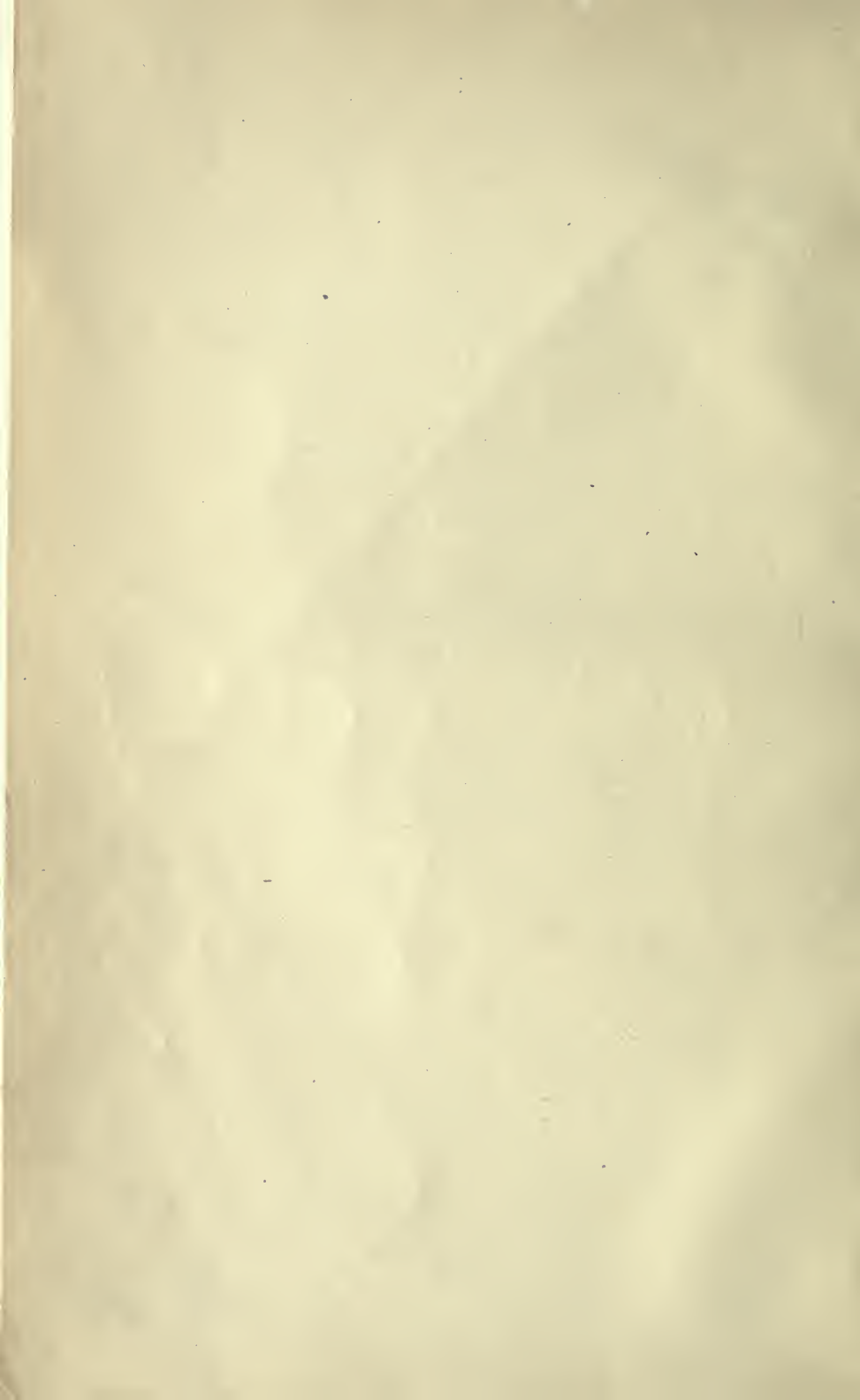
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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City and County of San Francisco

San Francisco, California, Monday, April 23, 1906.

On the 18th day of April, A. D. 1906, about the hour of 5:15 o'clock a. m., San Francisco was visited by an earthquake of unusually severe magnitude.

Many structures collapsed and were dismantled, and nearly every building throughout the City and County was injured to a greater or less degree.

Not only did the earthquake shock injure or destroy many buildings, streets and sewers, but the water and gas mains were broken and the electric light service dismantled, thus shutting off the water and light supply.

Fire started in several sections of the city immediately after the earthquake, and being without water, the Fire Department was utterly unable to check the flames.

United States troops were called out to aid the Fire and Police Departments, and dynamiting was resorted to to stay the conflagration which continued for three days.

Two-thirds of the city was entirely consumed, including that portion thereof commonly known as the Fifty Vara district, the One Hundred Vara district, and portions of the Mission and Western Additions of San Francisco.

The general boundaries of the devastated and burned section of the city is described as follows:

The Water Front from Brannan street on the east to Jones street on the north; thence along Jones to Chestnut, to Hyde, to Polk, to Filbert, to Van Ness avenue, to Clay, to Franklin, to Sutter, to Van Ness avenue, to Golden Gate avenue, to Octavia, to Page, to Gough, to Market, to Dolores, to Twentieth, to Mission, to

Eighteenth, to Howard, to Fifteenth, to Folsom, to Eleventh, to Bryant, to the Water Front.

This area included the business and most densely populated residence sections of the city.

The principal Municipal buildings, the City Hall and the Hall of Justice were destroyed with their contents, although the greater portion of the records contained in the Hall of Records, a separate adjunct of the City Hall, were saved and deposited temporarily in the Masonic Cemetery Vault.

At this writing it is probable that all of the other records of the City and County of San Francisco have been destroyed.

The general loss of life, both from the earthquake and from the fire is estimated to be between five hundred and one thousand, while the loss to property is estimated to be five hundred million dollars. Possibly the true facts will never be known. Great distress prevails among the homeless and afflicted who are obliged to camp on the hills and in the public streets and parks until their fellow citizens can afford them shelter.

Aid has been given, and is being most generously given by our nation, our countrymen, and our friends throughout the United States, and it is to be hoped that within a short time the suffering and misery of the sick, homeless and distressed will be relieved.

The usual meeting place of the Board of Supervisors, namely, its Chambers on the second floor, in the City Hall of the City and County of San Francisco, having been dismantled by the earthquake, and subsequently

devastated by the fire following, at a conference held before the regular meeting of the Board on Monday, April 23, 1906, it was decided to meet in quarters known as "Mowry's Hall", on corner of Laguna and Grove streets, San Francisco.

In pursuance of instructions received at said conference, the Clerk of the Board caused notices to be posted at the following places, that the next regular session of the Board would be held in said "Mowry's Hall", corner of Grove and Laguna streets, on Monday, April 23, 1906, at 2:30 p. m., to wit:

One notice at northerly entrance to City Hall, on McAllister street, nearest the Supervisors' Chambers.

One notice at the southerly entrance to City Hall, on City Hall avenue, nearest the Supervisors' Chambers.

One notice at "Mowry's Hall", corner of Laguna and Grove streets.

One notice at "Franklin Hall", Fillmore street between Bush and Pine streets, temporary headquarters of the Municipal Authorities.

Said notices were duly signed by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, and by him caused to be posted at the above specified locations, prior to the hour of 12 o'clock m. on said 23rd day of April, 1906.

The purpose of this necessarily brief article is to enable a proper understanding of the subsequent actions of the Board of Supervisors, the Legislative Branch of the Government of San Francisco, and to explain the extraordinary conditions which now prevail.

For annals of the earthquake and the disastrous fire following, reference is made to the files of the newspapers of Oakland and San Francisco of dates subsequent to April 18, 1906, and the present.

GEORGE B. KEANE,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

PERSONNEL OF BOARD.

The members of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, who were elected at the last Municipal election held in said City and County on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1905, for the years 1906-1907, consists of the following persons:

CHAS. BOXTON,

M. W. COFFEY,
DANIEL G. COLEMAN,
SAM DAVIS,
GEORGE F. DUFFEY,
JOHN J. FUREY,
JAMES L. GALLAGHER,
CORNELIUS J. HARRIGAN,
JAMES F. KELLY,
THOMAS F. LONERGAN,
MAX MAMLOCK,
P. M. MCGUSHIN,
F. P. NICHOLAS,
JENNINGS J. PHILLIPS,
L. A. REA,
W. W. SANDERSON,
EDW. I. WALSH,
ANDREW M. WILSON.

Hon. E. E. SCHMITZ, Mayor and
Ex-officio President.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following named comprise the Standing Committees of the Board:

Artificial Lights—Davis (Chairman), Lonergan, Buxton.

Beautification and Adornment of San Francisco and Public Receptions—Coleman (Chairman), Duffey, Rea, Harrigan, McGushin.

Capital and Labor—Furey (Chairman), Duffey, Mamlock, Lonergan, Nicholas.

Charities and Correction, Prisons and Reformatories—Harrigan (Chairman), Kelly, Coffey.

Charter Amendments — Wilson (Chairman), Mamlock, Walsh.

Civil Service—Walsh (Chairman), Davis, Lonergan.

Education—Furey (Chairman), Duffey, Sanderson.

Electricity—Mamlock (Chairman), Kelly, Coleman.

Equalization of Assessments—McGushin (Chairman), Nicholas, Wilson.

Finance—Gallagher (Chairman), Davis, Walsh.

Fire—Duffey (Chairman), Mamlock, McGushin.

Hospital and Health—Lonergan (Chairman), Wilson, Furey.

Judiciary—Coleman (Chairman), Gallagher, Wilson, Phillips, Furey.

License and Orders—Kelly (Chairman), Harrigan, Sanderson.

Outside Lands—Harrigan (Chairman), Buxton, Phillips.

Police — Sanderson (Chairman), Walsh, Harrigan.

Printing and Salaries — Coffey,

(Chairman), Coleman, Rea.

Public Buildings—Nicholas (Chairman, Duffey, Rea.

Public Utilities—Boxton (Chairman), Coleman, Davis, McGushin, Nicholas, Kelly, Gallagher.

Streets, Sewers and Parks—Rea (Chairman), Sanderson, Furey, Phillips, Coffey.

Water Rates—Phillips (Chairman), Walsh, Kelly.

Wharves and Water Front—Wilson (Chairman), Coffey, Boxton.

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

“Mowry’s Hall”, Laguna and Grove Streets.

San Francisco, April 23, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, April 23, 1906.

The Board of Supervisors met in Regular Session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh—11.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor E. E. Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Chair stated that it would be impossible for the next Order of Business, namely “The Reading of the Journal of the Last Meeting”, to be complied with, and he therefore ordered the matter dispensed with.

Question of Information.

Supervisor Boxton asked if the records of the Board of Supervisors were destroyed by the earthquake and the fire.

The Clerk stated that he had caused an examination to be made of the dismantled office of the Board of Supervisors in the City Hall, and from said examination believed that they were.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

There being no Petitions on file, this Order of Business was ordered dispensed with.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

There being no Communications or Reports from City and County Officers on file, this Order of Business was ordered dispensed with.

Supervisor Rea was noted present.

Selecting Supervisors’ Chambers.

Adopted.

Under suspension of the rules, Supervisor Coleman introduced the following Resolution:

Resolved, That the building generally known as “Mowry’s Hall”, or the “Gantner and Mattern Building”, corner of Laguna and Grove streets, in the City and County of San Francisco, be the official Chambers and Clerk’s Office of the Board of Supervisors of this City and County for the time being, and until such further action by this Board.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Coleman, and numbered Resolution No. 1 (New Series).

PROPOSALS FOR SALE OF TELEPHONE FRANCHISE.

The Clerk handed the Chair a sealed envelope filed at the hour of 2:55 o’clock p. m., which was opened by the Chair, the contents thereof being the bid of the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco, as follows:

San Francisco, Calif.

April 23, 1906.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: The Home Telephone Company of San Francisco hereby bids the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars for a franchise to construct, maintain and operate a telephone system in the City and County of San Francisco and to construct, maintain and operate through, along, under and in the public streets, alleys and highways of said City and County, poles, wires, cables, underground conduits and other appliances for the purpose of transmitting sound, signals and conversation by means of electricity or otherwise, as heretofore advertised for sale and to be granted by your Honorable Board; and said Home Telephone Company, of San Francisco herewith encloses its certified check payable to the order of the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco

for the full amount of this, its sealed bid.

Respectfully yours,
HOME TELEPHONE COMPANY OF
SAN FRANCISCO,
By THOS. W. PHILLIPS.
Read by Clerk.

Certified Check.

Said bid was accompanied by a check of \$25,000, drawn on the First National Bank of Oakland, payable to order of J. S. Torrance, Treasurer, and endorsed payable to order of City Treasurer of City and County of San Francisco, and was certified to by L. G. Burpee, Cashier of said Bank.

Consideration of Bid.

The Chair stated that the bid of the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco was now before the Board for consideration.

Motion.

Supervisor Boxton moved indefinite postponement of action upon the bid.

Supervisors Lonergan and Phillips were noted present:

Substitute Motion.

Supervisor Boxton withdrew his motion and substituted a motion, that action on the bid of the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco be postponed thirty days.

Point of Order.

Supervisor McGushin made the point of order, that in view of the fact that no other competing company could file a certified check, owing to the terrible calamity which has befallen us, that the bid should not be considered at present.

The Chair declared the point of order not well taken, upon the ground that such was not the fact.

Motion.

Supervisor Coleman objected to postponement of action and moved that the bid be accepted.

Point of Order.

Supervisor Kelly made the point of order, that Supervisor Boxton's motion was first in order.

The Chair declared the point well taken and that Supervisor Coleman's motion was out of order.

Question.

The Chair stated the question on Supervisor Boxton's motion to postpone consideration of bid for thirty days.

Question of Information.

Supervisor Lonergan arose to a question of information, and asked if the bid of the Home Telephone Company had been filed.

The Chair informed him that it had been filed, and stated the contents of the bid.

Inquiry as to Competing Bidders.

The Chair inquired of the persons present at the meeting whether or not there were any other bidders present offering to raise the bid of the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco, and stated that bids would be received.

No response was made to the Chair's question, and no other bid was presented to or filed with the Board.

Deposit of Amount of Bid.

The Home Telephone Company of San Francisco thereupon deposited with the Clerk of the Board and the County Clerk the sum of \$25,000 in gold coin, being the full amount of its bid.

Motion to Reject bid.

Supervisor Rea moved as an amendment to Supervisor Boxton's motion, that the bid of the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco be rejected.

Privilege of the Floor.

The privilege of the floor was granted to R. N. Frick, Esq., and Judge J. G. North, representing the Home Telephone Company, and the question was discussed by several members of the Board.

Question Stated.

The Chair stated the question on Supervisor Rea's motion to reject the bid.

Point of Order.

Supervisor Kelly made the point of order that the amendment made by Supervisor Rea to reject the bid is not germane to the motion made by Supervisor Boxton to postpone action thereon.

The Chair declared the point of order not well taken.

Motion to Reject Bid Lost.

Whereupon, the question being taken upon Supervisor Rea's motion

to reject the bid of the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco, the motion was **lost** by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh—5.

Noes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Phillips—9.

Notice of Reconsideration.

Supervisor Kelly gave notice of reconsideration.

Question on Postponement of Action for Thirty Days.

Whereupon, the question was taken on Supervisor Boxton's motion to postpone action on the bid for thirty days, and the motion was **lost** by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh—6.

Noes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, Phillips—8.

Motion to Accept Bid.

Supervisor Coleman moved the acceptance of the bid of the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco, in the sum of \$25,000, and that the franchise as published be awarded to said Company.

The motion was seconded and the question being taken, the Roll was called with the following result:

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, Phillips—8.

Noes—Supervisors Boxton, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh—6.

Absent—Supervisors Davis, Duffey, Sanderson, Wilson—4.

Declaration of Chair and Award of Franchise.

The Chair declared the motion **carried**, and that the franchise was struck off and sold to the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco, the highest and best bidder, the amount required by law having been deposited as required by law with the County Clerk and the Clerk of this Board.

Announcement.

Thereupon the Clerk of the Board announced that the sum of \$25,000 in gold coin deposited with him by the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco, upon the acceptance of its

bid, would be deposited with the Treasurer.

Election Booths to House Homeless. Adopted.

Supervisor Lonergan introduced the following Resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Election Commissioners be and they are hereby requested to deliver to the Chief Sanitary Inspector 250 election booths to be used in housing the homeless victims of the recent earthquake and conflagration, which have visited our City, namely; 100 booths in the district south of Market street and 150 booths in the remaining section of the City.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Lonergan, and numbered Resolution No. 2 (New Series).

Military Authorities Requested to Be Lenient With Afflicted People.

Adopted.

Supervisor Boxton introduced the following Resolution:

Resolved, That while we appreciate to the fullest extent the great service that is being rendered by the military and marines in preserving order during the trying period through which our City is now passing, for which service we, as representatives of the people of this municipality, desire to express the utmost appreciation and gratitude, we respectfully urge upon all commanding officers of all branches of the service to instruct their men to be as lenient as possible in the handling of our afflicted citizens, and not to use drastic measures except in those cases where it is absolutely necessary.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Boxton and numbered Resolution No. 3 (New Series).

Motion.

Supervisor Boxton moved that a copy of the above Resolution be sent to all commanding officers.

So ordered.

Clerk to Provide Essentials for Transaction of Business.

Adopted.

Supervisor Furey introduced the following Resolution:

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board be authorized to incur whatever expense may be needed in providing quarters, necessary stationery, etc., for the transaction of business of the Board of Supervisors; also, in providing necessary transportation within the City and County of San Francisco for the members of the Board of Supervisors, its clerks and other employees.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Furey, and numbered Resolution No. 4 (New Series).

COMMUNICATION FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Headquarters Certain Officials.

The following Communication was received and read:

San Francisco, April 23, 1906.

The City Attorney, Auditor, Treasurer, Tax Collector and County Recorder held a meeting this day at the hour of ten o'clock at 2513 Sacramento street, near Fillmore, and formally organized themselves into a Commission for the purpose of selecting and fitting up offices for their respective duties.

On motion of Tax Collector Nichols, City Attorney Burke was duly elected Chairman of the Commission, and on motion of Treasurer Bantel, Samuel Wells Horton, Auditor, was duly elected as Secretary, Maurice L. Asher, Attorney for the Auditor, representing him in his absence.

On motion of Tax Collector Nichols, it was resolved that the buildings known as 2511 and 2513 Sacramento street, near Fillmore street, consisting of twenty spacious rooms, be engaged and selected at once as the offices of the aforesaid respective officials. It was further resolved that the offices be fitted up at once, that the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco be notified of the action of the Commission with a request for his approval of their action.

On motion of Treasurer Bantel, it was resolved that business of the respective officials of the Commission begin at once, and all employees be requested to report for duty Tuesday, April 24, 1906.

The Commission then adjourned to meet at their newly selected head-

quarters Tuesday, April 24th, at 10 o'clock a. m.

WILLIAM G. BURKE,
Chairman.

S. W. HORTON, Secretary.

Motion.

Supervisor Kelly moved the reference of the above Communication to the Committee on Finance and Public Buildings.

So ordered.

Custody of Money Deposited by Home Telephone Company.

The Clerk inquired as to the safe-keeping of the \$25,000 gold coin deposited by the Home Telephone Company, upon the acceptance of its bid, stating that in company with Treasurer Bantel he had visited the United States Mint and requested the person in charge thereof to assume the custody of the money. He was informed that the money would be taken, but that the Mint authorities would not be held responsible for its safe keeping.

Motion.

Supervisor Coleman moved that the Clerk be entrusted with the matter of depositing the money in the United States Mint without responsibility on his part for its safe keeping.

So ordered.

System of Accounting.

Motion.

Supervisor Coleman moved that the City's Expert be granted the privilege of the floor.

So ordered.

Privilege of the Floor.

Thereupon, Myrtle Cerf, Expert Accountant of the City and County addressed the Board, stating that it would be absolutely necessary to reorganize the method of accounting of the City and County of San Francisco, and that action thereon should be taken at once with the Printing and Salaries Committee.

Motion.

Supervisor Coleman moved that the Printing and Salaries and Finance Committees of the Board be authorized to act with Messrs. Myrtle Cerf and Thomas E. Atkinson, the City Accountants, in devising a system of ac-

counting and in securing the necessary books and forms.

So ordered.

Motion.

Supervisor Mamlock moved that the Chief of Police be requested to detail a policeman to guard premises used by the Board as its meeting place and by other officers.

So ordered.

Appointment of Committee on Resolutions of Condolence.

Adopted.

Supervisor Coffey introduced the following Resolution:

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed by the Chair for the purpose of preparing Resolutions of Condolence with the people of our stricken city and expressing the confidence of this Board of Supervisors that the courage, enterprise and industry of our people will rebuild our beautiful city, and pledging the full assistance of this Board of Supervisors in all efforts that are now being made by the Mayor and the Committee appointed by him for the relief of those rendered destitute and homeless by the calamity of Wednesday last, April 18th, 1906.

Committee:

Supervisors Coleman, Coffey, Boxton, Lonergan and Gallagher.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Coffey, and numbered Resolution No. 5 (New Series).

Disposition of Certified Check of Home Telephone Company.

Motion.

Supervisor Coleman moved that the certified check of \$25,000 of the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco, be returned by the Clerk, cash in the sum of \$25,000 being now deposited.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 6 o'clock, adjourned, to meet on Tuesday, April 24th, 1906, at 2:30 o'clock.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

TUESDAY, APRIL 24, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Tuesday, April 24, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Colemana, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harri-gan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Wilson—14.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading the Journal of April 23, 1906, was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

There being no Petitions on file, this Order of Business was ordered dispensed with.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

There being no Communications or Reports from City and County officers on file, this Order of Business was dispensed with.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Public Buildings and Finance Committees, by Supervisor Nicholas, reported verbally that the quarters at Nos. 2511 and 2513 Sacramento street, wherein were established the City Attorney, the Auditor, the Treasurer and the Tax Collector, were comfortable and commodious and sufficient to meet the present needs of these departments of the Municipal Government, and further that he had quartered the Recorder in premises at Geary and Octavia streets, known as the Jewish Temple.

Report received as progressive.

The Printing and Salaries and Finance Committee, by Supervisor Coffey, reported verbally, that all officials of the City and County within reach had been notified that printing books and stationery supplies would be furnished on demand being made to the Stationery Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Report received as progressive.

Motion.

Supervisor Coleman moved that further time be granted both committees.

So ordered.

Motion.

Supervisor Coffey suggested and moved that the Committee on Resolutions of Condolence prepare resolutions of condolence on the death of Dennis T. Sullivan, late Chief of the Fire Department of San Francisco.

So ordered.

Statement.

Supervisor McGushin stated that Mr. Friedlander, who had charge of the camp known as "Camp Forrest", wished to address the Board on the question of supplies.

Motion.

Supervisor Kelly moved that Mr. Friedlander be granted the privilege of the floor.

So ordered.

Privilege of the Floor.

Thereupon Mr. Friedlander addressed the Board stating that "Camp Forrest" had been started immediately after the fire with a few bricks as a fire place, and that it was now feeding 10,000 people daily. Cooked food is furnished, or provisions can be carried away.

People came from all directions with demands upon them for supplies. He believed there was too much red tape in dealing with the General Relief Committee. In conclusion the gentlemen asked that the Board remember the Camp for the good work done.

Report of Clerk on Deposit of Amount of Bid of Home Telephone Company.

The Clerk reported that in company with Treasurer Charles Bantel he had delivered the sum of \$25,000, the money received from the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco, for the sale of a telephone franchise, to the official in charge of the United States Mint last evening. By appoint-

ment and arrangement this morning the money was placed in a sealed box used by the Government for money being transported to the Philippine Islands. In reply to question as to whether money received by the City and County from day to day could be deposited in the Mint, Superintendent Leach stated that while he would not promise to hold the money indefinitely, nevertheless provision would be made temporarily for its custody.

Motion.

Supervisor Mamlock moved that the Report of the Clerk be approved.

So ordered.

Instructions to Clerk.

The Chair instructed the Clerk to notify all officials of the City and County that the seat of the Municipal Government is in this, "Mowry's Hall".

Instructions noted.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 3:05 o'clock, adjourned to meet on Wednesday, April 25, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEORGE B. KEANE, Clerk.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Wednesday, April 25, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Wilson—13.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

Committee.

The reading of the Journals of the

previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATIONS OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

No Petitions being on file, the Order of Business was dispensed with.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

No Communication being on file, this Order of Business was dispensed with.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Joint Committee on Public Buildings and Finance, entrusted with the matter of providing quarters for public officials, by Supervisor Nicholas, reported progress, everything in this line moving along favorably.

The Joint Committee on Printing and Salaries and Finance, by Supervisor Coffey, reported verbally that nearly all the City and County officials had applied for printing and supplies and that the Committee would proceed with the filling of requisitions as expeditiously as possible.

The Hospital and Health Committee, by Supervisor Lonergan, reported verbally that at the request of the Health Department he had ordered two buggies for the use of the plumbing inspectors of that Department.

Resolutions of Condolence to the People of the City and County of San Francisco.

The Special Committee on Condolence, by Supervisor Coleman, reported the following Resolutions, which were, on motion of Supervisor Davis, adopted as Resolution No. 6 (New Series).

To the People of the City and County of San Francisco

The Board of Supervisors, whom you have entrusted with the legislative branch of your Municipal Government, desire to express their sympathy with all our people, and to express the hope that the courage and fortitude which has so far char-

acterized the conduct of our citizens will continue to be displayed during the trying period through which our City is now passing.

It is not alone magnificent buildings that constitute a great city, but the character of its citizenship; and contemplating the spirit of charity and self-helpfulness, and splendid self-control and pluck that has been exhibited by our people in the present crisis, we feel justified in saying that we are prouder than ever before of the City of San Francisco.

The high character and executive ability of our honored Mayor, Eugene E. Schmitz, has been evidenced in these trying times more fully than ever before, and we wish to congratulate the people upon the fact that we have at this time at the head of our Municipal Government a Chief Executive who has shown himself equal to the emergency. Never in the history of the world have such complete arrangements been made in so short a space of time for the care and sustenance and well-being of an afflicted people. The Mayor and the Committee of Fifty appointed by him are entitled to the gratitude of our citizens. They have undertaken and are performing a tremendous task, in which they should have the co-operation and assistance of all classes of our citizenship.

The Committee appointed by the Mayor are all representative and well-known citizens, and are entitled to the confidence of everyone. We sincerely trust that the funds contributed by the United States Government, and all other funds contributed from any and all sources, will be placed under the control of this Committee, as we feel certain that this will ensure the very best use of the money for the purposes for which it was given. Having the utmost confidence in the ability and integrity of the Mayor and the Committee of Fifty, and realizing the personal sacrifices that they are making for the welfare of the community, we pledge to them every assistance in our power in the carrying out of their great task.

To those who have so generously sent their contributions of provisions and money for the relief of our stricken city, we desire, in the name of all our people, to express the deepest and most heartfelt gratitude.

The spirit of enterprise, the industry and the natural location and resources which built up this city still survive, and will in the near future building up here at the Golden Gate a greater and more beautiful metropolis for the great State of California, and carrying out the pledge made in the Message of Mayor Schmitz to the President of the United States, restore to the nation her chief port upon the western edge of the continent.

The Board of Supervisors has been busily engaged in endeavoring to get the various departments in such shape that all functions of the Municipal Government may be resumed. Within a very short time (as soon as the Board of Supervisors can have the opportunity of consulting those experts best qualified to advise in such a matter), the Board will, having in mind the mistakes of the past, adopt a comprehensive plan for the building up of our City upon broad, substantial and artistic lines that will make it, indeed, the City Beautiful.

In conclusion, we wish to commend all branches of the Municipal service for heroic conduct during the trying ordeal of the past few days, and also to again express our high appreciation of the services rendered by all of the military organizations.

DANIEL G. COLEMAN,
Chairman.

ANDREW M. WILSON,
THOMAS L. LONERGAN,
JAMES F. GALLAGHER,
M. W. COFFEY,

Supervisor Gallagher introduced Bill No. Resolutions of Respect to the Memory of the Late Chief of the Fire Department.

The Special Committee on Condolence, by Supervisor Coleman, reported the following Resolutions, which were, on motion of Supervisor Davis, adopted as Resolution No. 7 (New Series).

IN MEMORIAM.

Dennis F. Sullivan, for many years Chief of the San Francisco Fire Department, is dead. Notwithstanding the sufferings and privations which have befallen us through this late calamity, we yet feel that his death should not be allowed to go by without proper recognition. We cannot at this trying time fully appreciate the irreparable loss sustained to the community in his demise. In the death of our able Fire Chief we lose one of San Francisco's most beloved and respected citizens. By reason of his ability and wide experience as a fireman, his wise advice and counsel would have been of great value to us in the reconstruction of our City. Our City mourns for him. Our people lament his untimely death. His kind heart and generous spirit made him beloved by all with whom he came in contact.

To his sorrowing widow and relatives and to the members of the Fire Department, which was ever foremost in his heart, we extend our most heartfelt sympathy.

Respectfully,

DANIEL G. COLEMAN,
Chairman.
ANDREW M. WILSON,
THOMAS F. LONERGAN,
JAMES L. GALLAGHER,
M. W. COFFEY,
Committee.

STATEMENT.

The Clerk stated that the Chairman of the Fire Committee, being unable to be present at today's meeting, requested him to present to the Board the question of providing \$1000 for a temporary fire house in Ashbury Heights District.

Referred to the Fire Committee.

Bond of Home Telephone Company of San Francisco.

The bond of the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco, in the sum of \$250,000 with the Aetna Indemnity Company of Hartford, Connecticut, as surety thereon, conditioned upon the faithful fulfillment of

the provisions and conditions of a telephone franchise sold to said company on the 23rd day of April, 1906, was duly filed, received and read by Clerk.

Statement of City Attorney.

City Attorney William G. Burke stated that the form of the bond was good and sufficient.

Approval of Bond.

Thereupon, the following Resolution was introduced and read:

Resolved, That the bond filed this 25th day of April, 1906, by the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco, in the penal sum of \$250,000, with the Aetna Indemnity Company, as surety thereon, be and the same is hereby approved.

Motion.

Supervisor Wilson moved the adoption of the Resolution.

Statement.

P. M. Nippert, appeared and stated that his Company, the Aetna Indemnity Company of Hartford, Connecticut, had duly executed and qualified as surety on said bond.

Resolution Adopted.

Whereupon, the question being taken, said Resolution was adopted, as Resolution No. 8 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Wilson—8.

Noes—Supervisors Bixton, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea—4.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:05 o'clock, adjourned, to meeting on Thursday, April 26, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

THURSDAY, APRIL 26, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Thursday, April 26, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the follow-

ing Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journal of the previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

A Petition of Henry C. Brunkhorst, with claim in sum of \$4427, for damages alleged to have been sustained by him by mob violence and tumult in breaking into his place of business, No. 3286 Mission street, and carrying off and destroying his stock of groceries, wines, liquors and cigars on the Twentieth day of April, 1906, was received and read.

Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

ORDINANCE PROHIBITING MUTILATION OF CERTIFICATES OF INSPECTION AS TO SAFETY OF BUILDINGS.

Under suspension of the Rules, Su-1, Ordinance No. —, (New Series), as follows:

Making it unlawful to tear down deface or mutilate any certificate of inspection, or other notice of official authority publicly or otherwise displayed or posted, certifying to the safe or unsafe condition of any building, or structure, or any portion thereof, and providing a penalty for the violation of this Ordinance.

Whereas, An extraordinary condition of affairs now prevails in the City and County of San Francisco, due to the earthquake occurring on the 18th day of April, 1906, and to the terrible conflagration following said earthquake, both of which disasters have devastated nearly two-thirds of the populated sections of San Francisco, and

Whereas, Imperative, energetic and

mandatory measures and actions are necessary to maintain law and order and to safeguard and preserve life and property; now, therefore,

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person to tear down, alter, deface or mutilate any certificate of inspection of other notice of official authority publicly or otherwise displayed or posted certifying to the safe or unsafe condition of any building or structure, or any portion thereof, in the City and County of San Francisco.

Section 2. Any person violating this Ordinance or any of the provisions thereof shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be subject to arrest and incarceration by any member of the Police Department of the City and County of San Francisco or of the regular army of the United States, said person to be held in durance by either of said Municipal or National authorities until such time as he or she may be tried by a court of competent jurisdiction, and, if found guilty by said court, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars (\$500), or by imprisonment in the County Jail not exceeding six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 3. The Clerk of this Board is hereby directed to advertise this Ordinance in the daily newspapers of the City and County of San Francisco, and to cause printed copies of said Ordinance to be forthwith posted and publicly displayed in such numbers and in such manner as his judgment may determine.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately.

Ordinance Adopted.

Supervisor Mamlock moved the adoption of the Bill, which motion was carried by the following vote, and said Ordinance numbered 1 (New Series).

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher,

Harrigan, Kelly, Loneragan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Ordinance Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the said Ordinance, in words and figures as above expressed, was passed for printing as Bill No. 2, Ordinance No. —. (New Series), the same to be printed when the Official Newspaper, "The Evening Post", is published.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

No Communications or Reports from City and County officers being on file, this Order of Business was dispensed with.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Fire Committee, by Supervisor McGushin (Acting Chairman), presented the following Report:

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.—Gentlemen:

Your Fire Committee, to whom were referred the matter of providing a fire engine on Ashbury Heights to afford adequate fire protection to that district, beg leave to report, and recommend that the sum of \$1000 be set aside and appropriated out of the Urgent Necessity Fund of the fiscal year 1905-1906, for the purpose of enabling the Board of Public Works to erect a temporary structure at some suitable location to accommodate said fire engine and crew.

P. M. MCGUSHIN,
MAX MAMLOCK.

Read and ordered filed.

Providing for Temporary Fire House on Ashbury Heights.

Adopted.

Thereupon Supervisor McGushin introduced the following Resolution, which was, on his motion, adopted as Resolution 9 (New Series):

Resolved, That the sum of \$1000 be and the same is hereby set aside and appropriated out of the Urgent Necessity Fund of the fiscal year 1905-1906, for the purpose of enabling the Board

of Public Works to erect a temporary structure at a suitable location in the Ashbury Heights District, and to house therein an engine and crew of the Fire Department of the City and County, said district being at the present time without adequate fire protection.

Motion.

Supervisor Nicholas moved that the matter of leasing the quarters known as Mowry's Hall for the accommodation of the Municipal offices, be referred to the Joint Committee on Finance and Public Buildings.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 3:35 o'clock, adjourned to meet on Friday, April 27, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

FRIDAY, APRIL 27, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Friday, April 27, 1906, 2:30 p. m.
The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called, and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Wilson was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

No Petitions being on file, this Order of Business was dispensed with.
COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

No Communications being on file, this Order of Business was dispensed with.

Offer to Furnish Salt Water for Street Sprinkling.

Edgar Painter, representing the Merchants' Ice and Cold Storage Company, was granted the privilege of the floor, and stated that he was authorized by said Company to offer to furnish the City and County free of charge, 5,000,000 gallons of salt water daily, with which to sprinkle the streets, and all that was required on the part of the City and County would be to supply the street sprinkling wagons.

Motion.

Supervisor Mamlock moved that the Clerk be directed to notify the Board of Public Works to this effect, and that he also be directed to express the thanks of the Board to the Merchants' Ice and Cold Storage Company for its generous offer.

So ordered.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Nicholas, reported verbally that his associate Supervisor Rea and himself, had purchased tables, chairs and desks for the use of the Supervisors' Chambers and the Clerk's office, which furniture could all be used again in various offices in case of the rebuilding of the City Hall.

Also, that he had communicated with President Frank Maestretti of the Board of Public Works, and had arranged for the construction of a temporary engine house on Ashbury Heights, as has been directed by the Board.

Also, that the Chairman of the Finance Committee and himself have agreed to rent for municipal purposes the premises known as "Mowry's Hall", Laguna and Grove streets, from month to month, at a rental of \$500 per month.

Leasing Municipal Quarters.

Adopted.

Supervisor Nicholas introduced the following Resolution, which was, on his motion, adopted as Resolution No. 10 (New Series):

Resolved, That the action of the Finance and Public Buildings Committees in leasing from month to month the premises known as "Mowry's Hall", as the seat of the Municipal Government of San Francisco, at a rental of \$500 per month be and the same is hereby approved.

The portion of said hall so leased

consists of that heretofore used by the Hayes Valley Athletic Club and wherein are now quartered the Board of Supervisors, the Clerk's office of the Board of Supervisors, the Board of Election Commissioners, the Civil Service Commissioners, the Coroner's Department and one room on the upper floor.

Report of Citizens' Relief Committee.

The Clerk presented and read a synopsis of the proceedings of the meeting of April 27, 1906, of the Citizens' Relief Committee of Fifty appointed by his Honor the Mayor, said Committee meeting daily at Franklin Hall, Fillmore street, between Bush and Pine streets.

Motion.

Supervisor Gallagher moved that the Clerk be directed to obtain copies of the meetings of the Relief Committee since the commencement of their Sessions, and that he also be authorized to employ a stenographer to take down and transcribe testimony of said meetings for this time forward.

So ordered.

Suggestion.

Supervisor Kelly suggested that the Printing and Salaries Committee be requested to cause printed blanks for salaries of city officials and employees to be prepared in order that the same may be properly signed and audited.

Supervisor Coffey, Chairman of the Printing and Salaries Committee reported that these matters were being attended to.

Officers and Departments filed Statements of Current Expenses.

Adopted.

Supervisor Nicholas introduced the following Resolution which was, on his motion adopted and numbered Resolution No. 11 (New Series).

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby directed to forward a communication to the various officers and departments of the Municipality, requesting them to file with this Board on or before its next meeting, the amount of rent agreed by them to be paid for their respective headquarters monthly and also the amount of help retained by them in the discharge of official business.

Motion.

Supervisor Mamlock moved that the Clerk be directed to call the daily

meetings of the Board at 2:30 p. m. promptly.

So ordered.

Consultation with Architects and Builders.

Motion.

Supervisor Gallagher moved that this Board meet with a Committee of Architects and Builders at Franklin Hall, tomorrow, Saturday, April 28, 1906, at 3 p. m., for the purpose of consulting in relation to the framing of new fire and building ordinances for the City and County of San Francisco.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:10 o'clock, adjourned, to meet on Monday, April 30, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

MONDAY, APRIL 30, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, April 30, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular Session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journal of previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

A Communication from the City Council of the City of Springfield, Illinois, transmitting Resolutions of sympathy and condolence with the people of San Francisco on the terrible calamity which has befallen this City, was received and read.

Ordered filed, and Clerk directed to acknowledge receipt of Resolutions with thanks of the Board.

A Communication from O. J. Han-

sen of Oakland, California, offering for sale one hundred million brick of all kinds upon reasonable terms, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Board of Public Works for consideration.

A Communication from the Co-operative Meat Company of Oakland, Cal., soliciting patronage of furnishing meat and provisions to City and County institutions, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Hospital and Health Committee.

A Communication from the Pioneer Investment Company, offering to lease for a period of two years, under rental of \$1000 per month, the top floor of premises No. 925 Golden Gate avenue, known as "Pioneer Investment Company Building", wherein to quarter the Police and Justices' Court and the Bond and Warrant Clerk, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Public Buildings Committee.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

A Communication from the Coroner, stating that it has been necessary to swear in extra Deputy Coroners, transmitting a list of names of said deputies, and recommending that provision be made for their services during the month of April, 1906, was received and read.

Ordered referred to Joint Committee on Hospital and Health and Finance.

A Communication from the Coroner, recommending that a temporary Morgue be established at once on Ivy avenue, adjoining the present quarters of the Coroner's office on Ivy avenue and Laguna street, or in some other suitable location in the immediate vicinity, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Hospital and Health and Finance.

Supervisors Mamlock and Coleman were noted present.

NEW BUSINESS.

Under the head of New Business, Supervisor Duffey called the attention

of the Board to the state of existing affairs, with particular relation to building laws, and expressed himself to the effect that the opportunity was now a good one to start anew with suitable regulations.

Motion.

Supervisor Duffey moved that a Committee be appointed for the purpose of redrafting the fire and building laws, said Committee to consist of architects, builders and members of the Board of Supervisors.

Statement.

His Honor the Mayor stated that he would appoint a Special Committee, consisting of engineers, architects, builders, lawyers and others, with the purpose in view of reconstructing and relaying out the City on broad and comprehensive lines.

Substitute Motion.

Thereupon, Supervisor Gallagher moved, as a substitute, that a Special Committee of seven be appointed by the Chair to draft amendments to the present building laws and to investigate and report their findings to the Board of Supervisors.

So ordered.

Suggestion.

Supervisor Gallagher suggested that his Honor the Mayor take twenty-four hours within which to appoint the Special Committee.

Suggestion noted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD (Resumed).

A Communication from the California Baking Company, offering to furnish bread to City and County institutions at the rate of three and one-half (3½) cents per loaf, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Hospital and Health Committee.

ROLL CALL FOR INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Estray Horses to Be Returned to Woodlawn Stables.

Adopted.

Supervisor Coffey introduced the

following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Resolved, That all persons having in their possession horses and buggies or vehicles of any description not belonging to them, must deliver the same within forty-eight (48) hours from this notice to the Woodlawn Stables, Wm. J. Gallagher, proprietor, situate on Grove street, between Laguna and Buchanan streets, in this City and County; otherwise, they will be prosecuted under the laws governing the matter.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Coffey, and numbered Resolution No. 12 (New Series).

Motion.

Supervisor Coffey moved that the Clerk be directed to publish Resolution No. 12 (New Series), in the daily newspapers for forty-eight hours.

So ordered.

Attention of Mayor Called to "Camp Forrest".

Adopted.

Supervisor Kelly introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Resolved, That the attention of his Honor Mayor E. E. Schmitz is hereby called to the Relief Station known as "Camp Forrest", located on Laguna street between Hayes and Fell streets, and to the manner in which rations are being distributed, especially the serving of cooked food to thousands of homeless, who have no facilities for cooking.

Be it further resolved, That we most respectfully petition his Honor Mayor E. E. Schmitz to use his best endeavor to have the cooked meal department of this Camp continued, and to see that rations for the same are supplied.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Kelly, and numbered Resolution No. 13 (New Series).

Public Buildings Committee Hire Light Delivery Wagon.

Adopted.

Supervisor Nicholas introduced the following Resolution, and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Buildings of this Board be and is hereby authorized to hire a horse and light delivery wagon, the same to be employed in the transportation of furniture and other material required in the fitting up of the respective offices and departments of the municipality.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Nicholas, and numbered Resolution Number 14 (New Series).

Refunding of Poundkeeper's Fees. Referred.

Supervisor Walsh introduced the following Resolution:

Resolved, That the sum of four and 50-100 dollars (\$4.50) be and the same is hereby ordered refunded to Mrs. P. J. Golden, the same having been collected by the Poundkeeper for the release of one cow and calf impounded on the morning of April 18th, 1906.

Referred to the Finance Committee.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 3:25 o'clock, adjourned, to meet Tuesday, May 1, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

TUESDAY, MAY 1, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Tuesday, May 1, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journal of previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

A Petition of John A. Rehnstrom, with claim in sum of \$647.50, for dam-

ages alleged to have been sustained through the looting of his premises, No. 3417 Sixteenth street, of its stock of groceries and liquors, on date of April 19, 1906, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Finance Committee.

A Communication from the Merchants' Association of San Francisco, recommending that a resurvey be made, and that winding roads on easy grades be laid out on burned hill districts, and that land be acquired for widening streets before property owners proceed to erect buildings on their holdings, was received and read.

Ordered referred to Special Committee on Reconstruction of San Francisco, to be appointed by his Honor the Mayor.

A Communication from the Citizens' Committee, recommending the passage of an Ordinance providing for inspection of electric wires and gas pipes in houses, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Electricity Committee.

A Communication from Madison & Burke, offering to lease at a rental of \$350.00 per month, the premises on southwest corner of Laguna and Turk streets, as a temporary quarters for the City Hall, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Public Buildings Committee.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Furnishing Bread to City and County Institutions.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Hospitals and Health, to whom were referred a Communication from the California Baking Company, quoting a price on bread to be furnished City and County Institutions at the rate of three and one-half cents per loaf, beg leave to report in favor of said offer and to recommend that your Honorable Board authorize by Resolution herewith submitted, said California Baking Company to furnish bread at said rate to the following named Institutions, to wit:

The City Prison and the County Jails of the City and County.

Emergency Hospitals of the Health

Department.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS F. LONERGAN,
ANDREW M. WILSON,
J. J. FUREY,

Hospital and Health Committee.
Read and ordered filed.

Resolution Introduced.

Thereupon, Supervisor Lonergan introduced the following Resolution:

Resolved, That the offer of the California Baking Company (filed April 30, 1906), to furnish bread to City and County Institutions at the rate of three and one-half cents per loaf, delivered, be and the same is hereby accepted, and said California Baking Company is hereby authorized to deliver said bread to the following named institutions, and to present claims therefor to the Board of Supervisors, to wit:

The City Prison of the Police Department.

County Jails of the Sheriff's Department.

The Emergency Hospitals of the Health Department.

Motion.

Supervisor Wilson moved that action on the Resolution be deferred and that the Finance Committee be directed to investigate and report upon the ability of all awardees of contracts of the City and County who are still in business, to proceed with the carrying out of their contracts.

So ordered.

Suggestion.

Supervisor Kelly suggested that the Hospital and Health Committee see that bread is supplied the various institutions until investigation of contractors is made by the Finance Committee.

Suggestion accepted by Hospital and Health Committee.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Providing Funds for Cleaning of Streets.

Referred.

Supervisor Lonergan introduced the following Resolution:

Resolved, That the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) be and the same is hereby set aside out of the Surplus Fund of the fiscal year 1905-1906, for the purpose of enabling the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco, to provide for the sweeping and clearing of streets, and said Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and empowered to expend said money for this purpose.

Motion.

Supervisor Coffey moved the reference of the Resolution to the Joint Committee on Streets, Sewers and Parks and Finance.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4 o'clock, adjourned, to meet Wednesday, May 2, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 2, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Wednesday, May 2, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

A Communication from J. Mahoney, notifying the Board that he holds the contract to furnish bread to City and County Institutions at the rate of 2.42 cents per loaf and that he is now fulfilling said contract, was received and read.

Withdrawal of Resolution.

Thereupon, Supervisor Lonergan withdrew the Resolution presented at a previous meeting, accepting the offer of the California Baking Company to furnish bread to City and County Institutions at rate of three and one-half cents per loaf.

A Communication from the Citizens' Committee, recommending the passage of a Resolution requesting the California Delegation at Washington to urge the passage by Congress of an appropriation for a new Federal Building in San Francisco, to accommodate those departments not provided for in the Postoffice building or the proposed Custom House building, was received and read.

Action thereon deferred, an appropriate Resolution to be presented under the head of Roll Call for Resolutions.

A Communication from Walter H. Robinson, offering to rent for \$150 per month, including janitor service, five rooms at premises No. 2178 Pine street, for the housing of the Justices' Court and Clerk, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Public Buildings Committee.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

San Francisco, May 2, 1906.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen: I hereby submit under Article III, Chapter 1, Section 2 of the Charter, the Auditor's estimate of the expenditures of the fiscal year 1906-1907.

The estimate is based upon an assessed value of \$600,000,000, made on the first Monday of March, 1906.

Since then a conflagration has swept over the city and the assessed valuation has in consequence been greatly reduced. I submit this estimate, knowing that you will in your wisdom deal with the subject as becomes its high importance.

S. W. HORTON,

Auditor.

(Accompanied by Auditor's detailed Estimate of Expenditures and Revenue for the fiscal year 1906-1907, and detailed Tentative Tax Levy for said term.)

Ordered referred to the Finance Committee.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury, amounting to \$1900, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 1 to 13 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Gallagher reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said Demands having been duly approved by the Finance Committee, and

On his motion said Demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Loneragan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Rea, reported verbally that the rental of \$1000 per month asked for the top floor of the Pioneer Investment Building, No. 925 Golden Gate avenue, occupied by the Police Courts and the Bond and Warrant Clerk was excessive, and that other locations will be examined by the Committee.

Inquiry.

Supervisor Boxton inquired concerning the matter referred to the Finance and Public Buildings Committees as to current expenses of officers and departments.

The Clerk stated that no response has been thus far made to notices mailed and delivered.

ROLL CALL FOR INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Urging Construction of New Federal Building in San Francisco.

Adopted.

Supervisor Mamlock presented the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Resolved, That the Senators and Congressmen from California comprising the California Delegation in the Congress of the United States be and they are hereby requested to use every effort towards securing an appropriation by Congress for a new Federal Building in San Francisco to house the many departments of the United States Government previously scattered around San Francisco in different office buildings and for whom accommodations have not been provided in the new Postoffice Building or the new Custom House Building.

Further resolved, That the Clerk of

this Board be and he is hereby directed to telegraph immediately to the California Delegation in Washington, D. C., the contents of this Resolution.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Mamlock, and numbered Resolution No. 15 (New Series).

Property Owners Requested to Remove Debris from Premises.

Adopted.

Supervisor Mamlock introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Resolved, That the owners of property throughout the City and County of San Francisco, whose premises have been devastated by fire be and they are hereby requested to remove, or cause to be removed, all debris or useless material remaining on their premises or in front of their premises, at the earliest possible moment, so as to facilitate the upbuilding of the new and greater San Francisco.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Mamlock, and numbered Resolution No. 16 (New Series).

Providing for Chimney Inspection.

Referred.

Supervisor Nicholas introduced Bill No. 3, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Prohibiting the use of chimneys until inspection thereof is made by the Board of Public Works; providing for the appointment by said Board of chimney inspectors, and authorizing the issuance of certificates of inspection, and the exaction of fees for said chimney inspection."

Referred to Public Buildings Committee.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 3:10 o'clock, adjourned, to meet on Thursday, May 3, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

THURSDAY, MAY 3, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, May 3, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present: Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Cole-

man, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harri-
gan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Mc-
Gushin, Nicholas, Philips, Rea, San-
derson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being ab-
sent, Supervisor Gallagher was called
to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of the
previous meetings was ordered dis-
pensd with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD

A Communication from Moller &
Saas, offering to lease City property,
20 x 60 feet in area, at No. 629 Cali-
fornia street, for \$100 per annum, was
received and read.

Ordered referred to the Public
Buildings Committee.

A Communication from Rev. Jos.
P. McQuaide, offering to rent to the
City premises at S. E. corner Pine
and Steiner streets, known as "St.
Rose's Academy", for municipal head-
quarters, or as courtrooms, at a rental
to be fixed by the Board of Supervi-
sors, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Public Build-
ings Committee.

A Communication from Wm. Taaffe
& Co., notifying the Board that they
have been furnishing beef and mut-
ton to the City and County Hospital
and other municipal institutions at
their express and earnest request, the
regular contractor being unable to ful-
fill his contract, and requesting that
authorization be given to continue
this service, was received and read.

Ordered referred to Hospital and
Health and Finance Committees.

A Petition from L. H. Guion, offer-
ing his services as wrecker, and in
the matter of reconstruction of build-
ings, was received and read.

Ordered referred to Public Build-
ings Committee.

A Petition from the California Im-
provement and Purchasing Company,
for permission to erect and construct
chutes on the streets of the City, for
the purpose of loading cars with the

debris caused by the recent fire, was
received and read.

Ordered referred to the Street Com-
mittee.

Petition of P. Cassou, for permis-
sion to erect and maintain a steam
boiler of 4 horsepower in premises No.
2507 Clay street, the same to be used
for laundry purposes.

Ordered referred to the Fire Com-
mittee.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFI- CERS.

A Communication from the City
Attorney, stating that he has not ar-
ranged as yet the terms of rental of
his quarters, and that it will be neces-
sary to retain his present office force
in service, was received and read.

Ordered referred to Public Build-
ings and Finance Committees.

A Communication from the Board
of Election Commissioners, request-
ing that immediate provision be made
for housing of eighty voting machines
heretofore stored at premises Eigh-
teenth and Division streets dismantled
by earthquake, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Public Build-
ings Committee.

A Communication from the Board
of Public Works, requesting that the
sum of \$6000 be set aside to provide
temporary quarters on school lot on
Grove street between Polk and Larkin
streets, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Public
Buildings and Finance Committees.

A Communication from the Board of
Health, stating that said Board is
temporarily located at Henry Durant
School, south side of Turk street, be-
tween Buchanan and Webster streets,
was received and read.

Ordered referred to Public Buildings
and Finance Committees.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Relating to Chimney Inspection.

To the Honorable, the Board of Su-
pervisors of the City and County
of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: Your Public Buildings
Committee to whom were referred
Bill No. 3, Ordinance No — (New
Series), entitled, "Prohibiting the use

of chimneys until inspection thereof is made by the Board of Public Works; providing for the appointment by the Board of Public Works of chimney inspectors and authorizing the issuance of certificates of inspection and the exaction of fees for said chimney inspection," beg leave to report in favor of the passage of said Bill with the following amendment thereto.

By adding to Section 2 thereof the following:

"No person shall be appointed as inspector under this Ordinance unless he shall have followed the occupation of bricklayer for at least five years, and the compensation of said inspector shall not exceed the sum of six dollars (\$6.00) per diem."

As amended, your Committee recommends the passage of said Bill.

Respectfully submitted,

F. P. NICHOLAS,

L. A. REA,

Public Buildings Committee.

Read and ordered filed.

Thereupon, Bill No. 3, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Prohibiting the use of chimneys until inspection thereof is made by the Board of Public Works; providing for the appointment by said Board, of chimney inspectors and authorizing the issuance of certificates of inspection, and the exaction of fees for said chimney inspection," was taken up.

Motion.

Supervisor Boxton moved that consideration of the Bill be made a Special Order of Business at the hour of 3 p. m., Friday, May 4, 1906, and that the members of the Board of Public Works be notified to be in attendance at that time.

So ordered.

NEW BUSINESS.

Relating to Temporary Fire House on Ashbury Heights.

Supervisor Nicholas stated that Resolution No. 9 (New Series), setting aside \$1000 out of the Urgent Necessity Fund for the purpose of constructing a temporary Fire House on Ashbury Heights had not received the necessary fifteen votes required by law.

Motion.

Supervisor Nicholas moved that the action of the Board in adopting Resolution No. 9 (New Series) be rescinded.

So ordered, and said Resolution ordered withdrawn from the files.

Motion.

Supervisor Nicholas moved the reference of the proposition to present a Resolution setting aside the sum of \$1000 for the construction of a temporary fire house on Ashbury Heights be referred to the Fire Committee.

So ordered.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Appointing James A. Devoto, Special Counsel for the Board of Public Works and the Board of Health.

Supervisor Lonergan introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Resolved, That James A. Devoto, attorney at law, be and he is hereby appointed as Special Counsel for the Department of Public Works and Public Health, and to receive as compensation for all legal services rendered, the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250.00) per month.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Boxton, and numbered Resolution No. 17 (New Series).

Relating to Business Structures on Public Property.

Supervisor Nicholas introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to remove from all public property all structures, or obstructions places thereon for business purposes, without authority or his Honor the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors; and further

Resolved, That the Board of Park Commissioners be requested to remove from all public park property all structures or obstructions placed thereon for business purposes, without authority of his Honor the Mayor and

the said Board of Park Commissioners.
Motion.

Supervisor Nicholas moved the adoption of the Resolution.

Substitute Resolution.

Adopted.

Thereupon, Supervisor Mamlock moved the adoption of the following Resolution as a substitute for that offered by Supervisor Nicholas:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby instructed to remove, or cause to be removed, all buildings and structures maintained for profit and private gain on public property, excepting those authorized by proper authority, and that the Board of Park Commissioners be and they are hereby requested to remove, or cause to be removed, from the public parks or squares, all buildings or structures maintained for profit or private gain thereon, excepting those authorized by proper authority.

Motion carried and said Resolution adopted as Resolution No. 18 (New Series).

Relating to Issuance of Permits for Entrance to Property by Chief of Police.

Supervisor Rea introduced the following Resolution, and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Resolved, That all owners or lessees of real property, or their respective agents, be requested to clear their respective lots or property of debris, refuse, cinders and all other obnoxious material; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief of Police, after investigation as to the identity of the person applying therefor, shall issue to such owner, lessee, or agent, a permit specifying thereon the said property by street and number, which said permit shall be sufficient warrant to permit such person or persons to enter upon said property without hindrance or molestation by the civil or military authorities.

Motion.

Supervisor Rea moved the adoption of the Resolution.

Supervisor Gallagher called Supervisor Boxton to the Chair.

Motion.

Supervisor Gallagher moved the reference of the Resolution to the

Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee, with the recommendation to said Committee that the members thereof confer in relation to the subject matter thereof, with his Honor the Mayor and Major General Greeley, representing the military authorities.

So ordered.

Supervisor Gallagher resumed the Chair.

Ratifying and Confirming Award of Franchise and Bond of Home Telephone Company of San Francisco.

Adopted.

Supervisor Coleman introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Resolved, That the award made on the 23rd day of April, 1906, to the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco, of a franchise to construct, maintain and operate a telephone system in the City and County of San Francisco; and the approval of the bond filed by said Home Telephone Company of San Francisco on the 25th day of April, 1906, be and the same are hereby ratified and confirmed.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Coleman, as Resolution No. 19 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Phillips, Wilson—11.

Noes—Supervisors Boxton, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—6.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:45 o'clock, adjourned to meet on Friday, May 4, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

FRIDAY, MAY 4, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Friday, May 4, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called, and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly,

Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

A Petition of Dr. Hans Liebrich, of Gloucester, Mass., offering his services for a consideration, as sanitarian, scientist or engineer, to the City and County of San Francisco, was received and read.

Ordered referred to Hospital and Health Committee.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

A Communication from the Board of Education, requesting consideration of the question of constructing schools in the burned district, with the proceeds of the sale of School Bonds was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Finance Committee.

A Communication from the Department of Electricity, requesting that an automobile be purchased for the use of said department, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Electricity and Finance

The Report of the Poundkeeper for the month of April, 1906, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Police Committee.

The Report of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, on responses made to Resolution No. 11 (New Series), requesting officers and departments to file an accounting of rental agreed to be paid for their temporary quarters and also the number of employees retained by them in the discharge of official business, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.—Gentlemen: It having been called to the attention of your Hospital and Health Commit-

tee that undertaking and embalming establishments are being placed in residence sections of the City and County, in dwelling houses and other places unfitted for said purposes in these troublous times, your committee recommends the passage of an Ordinance by your Honorable body herewith submitted prohibiting the establishment and maintenance of such institutions without first obtaining a permit therefor from the Board of Supervisors. Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS F. LONERGAN,
ANDREW M. WILSON.

J. J. FUREY,

Hospital and Health Committee.

Read and ordered filed.

NEW BUSINESS.

Relating to Undertaking and Embalming Establishments.

Adopted.

Supervisor Lonergan introduced Bill No. 4, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled "Prohibiting the establishment and maintenance of undertaking or embalming establishments without first obtaining a permit therefor from the Board of Supervisors," which was,

On motion of Supervisor Boxton, adopted as Ordinance No. 2 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Passed for Printing.

Thereupon, said measure was re-introduced as Bill No. 5, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled "Prohibiting the establishment and maintenance of undertaking or embalming establishments, without first obtaining a permit therefor from the Board of Supervisors," and passed for printing.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, ORDINANCES OR MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Permitting Certain Unions to Use Supervisors' Chambers.

Adopted.

Supervisor Furey introduced the fol-

lowing Resolution, and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Resolved, That the use of the Supervisors' Chambers in "Mowry's Hall", Laguna and Grove streets, San Francisco, be and the same is hereby granted to the following named unions on the dates hereinafter specified for the purpose of enabling the said unions to assemble together and transact their business in this time of emergency and distress, to wit:

On Sunday afternoon, May 6, 1906, to the Printing Pressmen's Union No. 24 and Webb Pressmen No. 4.

On Sunday afternoon, May 13, 1906, to the International Steamfitters' Union, affiliated with Iron Trades Council and the San Francisco Labor Council.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Furey, as Resolution No. 20 (New Series).

Recess.

At the hour of 3:50 o'clock, the Board took a recess for ten minutes.

Reassembled.

The Board reassembled at the hour of 3:55 o'clock, all the members before noted being present.

SPECIAL ORDER.

Chimney Inspection.

The Special Order of Business heretofore fixed for this day's session, namely, consideration of Bill No. 3, relating to inspection of chimneys, was proceeded with.

Bill Reported With Amendments.

The Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Nicholas, reported the Bill amended to read as follows, and with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Bill No. 3, Ordinance No. —. (New Series.)

"Prohibiting the use of chimneys until inspection thereof is made by the Board of Public Works; providing for such inspection and for the appointment by said Board, of Chimney Inspectors and authorizing the issuance of certificates of inspection, fixing the amount of fees and providing for the payment thereof."

Whereas, Owing to the calamity which has recently befallen the City and County of San Francisco, the chimneys on nearly every dwelling or building in the City have been dismantled or rendered unsafe for use, and the people have been compelled to cook their food outside of their dwellings; and

Whereas, This condition of affairs can be remedied through the expeditious and energetic inspection and repair of such chimneys as may with safety be used again; now, therefore,

Be it ordained by the people of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. No person shall use, or permit to be used, any chimney in any dwelling or building in the City and County of San Francisco owned or occupied by him, until permission to use the same shall first have been given by the Board of Public Works.

Section 2. The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and empowered to appoint as many chimney inspectors as in its judgment may be deemed expedient, for the purpose of enabling a rapid and expeditious inspection of all chimneys throughout the City and County.

Section 3. No person shall be appointed such inspector except he is a competent mechanic whose trade or occupation has heretofore been such as to have given him competent experience for such work of inspection. The salary of such inspectors shall not exceed four dollars (\$4.00) per day.

Section 4. Upon a proper inspection made by a duly appointed inspector of the Board of Public Works, and when repairs shall have been made to said chimneys as directed by said Board or its inspectors, said Board shall issue to the person whose chimney has been so inspected a certificate of inspection as to the safety of the same, and written permission to use the same.

Section 5. Upon receipt of such certificate and permission such chimneys may be used, but not otherwise.

Section 6. The certificates and written permissions hereinbefore referred

to shall and must, on demand, be exhibited by the occupant of the premises wherein said chimneys are situated to any duly accredited employee or member of the Fire Department, Police Department or Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco.

Section 7. The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and empowered to exact a fee of one dollar (\$1.00) for each chimney so inspected.

Section 8. The Board of Public Works is hereby instructed to deposit daily with the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter, the moneys collected for such inspection fees.

Section 9. Any person violating the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars (\$500), or by imprisonment

in the County Jail for a period not exceeding six (6) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 10. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately.

Adopted.

Adopted, as Ordinance No. 3 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

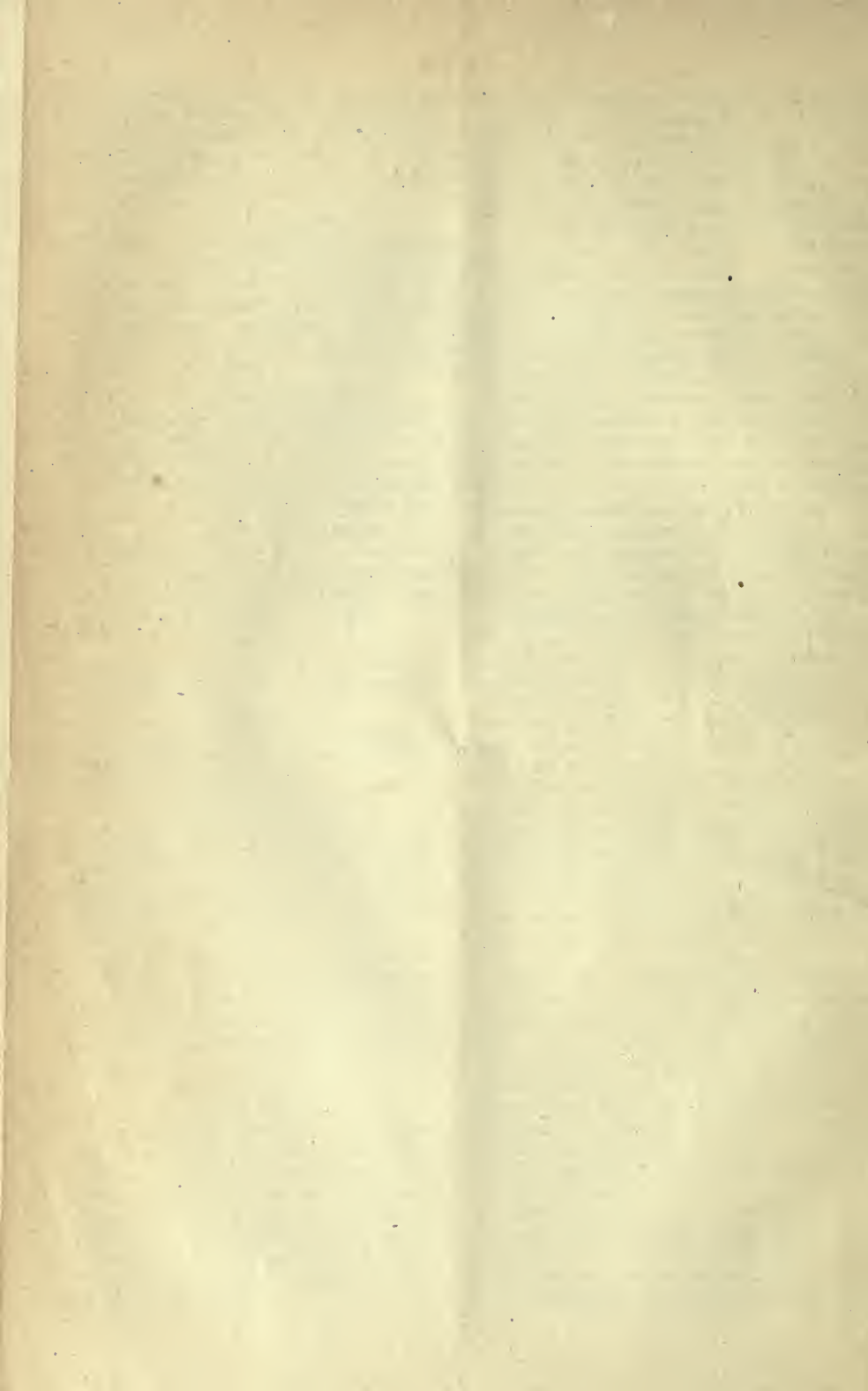
Passed for Printing.

Thereupon, said measure was introduced as Bill No. 6, Ordinance No. — (New Series), in similar words and figures as hereinbefore expressed, and was **passed for printing**.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, at the hour of 4 o'clock, the Board adjourned to meet on Monday, May 6, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.



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MONDAY, MAY 7, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, May 7, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Loneragan, Mamlock, McGushin, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

**PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS
FILED WITH THE BOARD.**

A Petition from N. Delbanco, on behalf of Polk Street Property Owners, to immediately grant permission to United Railroads of San Francisco, to erect a trolley line on Polk street, was received and read.

Privilege of the Floor.

William Denman was granted the privilege of the floor, and explained the condition of affairs on Polk street with respect to lack of street railroad facilities, and presented and filed Resolutions adopted at meeting held this

day by Polk Street Property Owners and Merchants, requesting that a permit be granted the United Railroads of San Francisco to construct an overhead trolley system on Polk street, on Sutter street and on Pacific avenue.

Referred to Public Utilities Committee, on motion of Supervisor Kelly, Supervisor Coffey voting no.

A Petition of Property Owners, to condemn premises known as "Pierce-Rodolph Storage Warehouses", on Eddy street, between Webster and Fillmore streets, and on Fillmore street, between Eddy and Ellis streets, on account of alleged dangerous and unsafe condition, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Fire Committee.

A Petition from Gantner Bros., for a permit to establish undertaking parlors on north side of Sixteenth street, between Church and Sanchez streets, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Hospital and Health Committee.

A Petition from Halsted & Co., for a permit to establish undertaking parlors at No. 924 Fillmore street, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Hospital and Health Committee.

A Petition from Porter & White, for a permit to maintain undertaking parlors at No. 1531 Golden Gate avenue, was received and read.

Ordered referred to Hospital and Health Committee.

A Protest from C. M. Farrell and others, against the establishment and maintenance of undertaking parlors at No. 1618 Geary street, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Hospital and Health Committee.

A Petition from H. J. Bertrand, for permission to lease from the City and County, premises No. 635 California street, at a rental of \$100 per year, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Public Buildings Committee.

A Petition from the Independence League of California, to officially request the Secretary of the Interior, through the President of the United States, to grant the application of the City and County for reservoir sites on the headwaters of the Tuolumne River was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Special Committee on Water Supply.

A Petition from Butchers' Union No. 115, that meat required for City and County institutions be purchased from union houses, using the union label, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Committee on Capital and Labor.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications from the following officials, in reply to Resolution No. 11 (New Series), requesting the various departments to file with the Board of Supervisors the amount of rent agreed by them to be paid for their respective headquarters monthly, and also the amount of help retained by them in discharge of official business, was received and ordered referred to the Finance Committee, to wit:

Assessor, City Engineer, Recorder, Tax Collector.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury aggregating \$2146.90, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series) and numbered consecutively therein 14 to 53 inclusive, were presented,

read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and

On his motion said Demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boston, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Permits for Undertaking Establishments.

Adopted.

Supervisor Lonergan introduced the following Resolution, which, was, on his motion, adopted and numbered Resolution No. 21 (New Series):

Resolved, That the following named be and they are hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to establish, maintain or operate undertaking and embalming establishments at the locations hereinafter specified, in accordance with their several Petitions heretofore filed with the Board of Supervisors, to wit:

Gantner Bros., northerly side of Sixteenth street, between Church and Sanchez streets.

Halsted & Co., 924 Fillmore street.

Porter & White, 1531 Golden Gate avenue.

Craig & Cochran, Valencia street, San Francisco.

ROLL CALL FOR INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Suspending Pound Laws for Ninety Days.

Referred.

Supervisor Kelly introduced Bill No. 7, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled "An Ordinance to suspend the operation of all Pound laws for the

term of ninety (90) days."

Ordered referred to the Police Committee.

Purchase of Automobiles for Health Department and Board of Supervisors.

Motion.

Supervisor Lonergan, on behalf of the Hospital and Health Committee, recommended the purchase of three automobiles, at an expense not to exceed \$5000, the same to be used for the service of the Health Department and the Board of Supervisors, and thereupon made a motion to that effect.

Privilege of the Floor.

On motion of Supervisor McGushin, Dr. D. F. Ragan, Health Officer, was granted the privilege of the floor, and was heard at length explaining the necessity for the machines in the service of the Health Commission.

Motion.

Supervisor Lonergan moved that the Finance and Hospital and Health Committees be authorized to purchase three machines as above stated.

So ordered.

**Relating to Tent for Emergency Hospital.
Statement.**

Supervisor Lonergan stated that it was possible that the United States Government, which had loaned a tent to the Health Department for use of the Emergency Hospital in Golden Gate Park, might withdraw the same for its own use, and in that event, the Supervisor said that a large tent, equal in size to the one used, could be purchased in Oakland at a cost of \$750.00.

Matter referred to the Hospital and Health Committee.

Relating to Alleged Dangerous Condition of Pierce, Rodolph Co. Warehouse.

Referred.

Under suspension of the rules, Supervisor Walsh introduced the following Resolution:

Whereas, A Petition of Property Owners was filed May 7th, 1906, requesting that the premises occupied

by the Pierce, Rodolph Warehouse Company, located on Eddy street, between Webster and Fillmore streets, and on Fillmore street, between Eddy and Ellis streets, be condemned, alleging that they are in a very dangerous condition, caused by the recent earthquake; therefore

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and are hereby requested and directed to make an examination of said premises, and if the same are found to be in a dangerous and unsafe condition to notify the owners of said buildings to immediately cause the same to be torn down, and placed in a safe condition.

Referred to Fire Committee, on motion of Supervisor Walsh.

Petition.

Supervisor McGushin presented a Petition from the Burr-Paddon Company, offering to rent premises Nos. 2075, 2077 and 2079 Bush street, for use of the Justices' Courts, or for Municipal purposes, at a rental of \$150 per month, for each flat of seven rooms.

Ordered referred to the Public Buildings Committee.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:40 o'clock, adjourned to meet on Tuesday, May 8th, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

TUESDAY, MAY 8, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Tuesday, May 8th, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present: Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sandersen, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of the meetings of April 23, April 24, April 25, April 26, April 27 and April 30 1906, published in "The Recorder" of May 8, 1906, were considered read and approved as published.

The reading of the Journals of meetings subsequent to April 30, 1906, was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petition—Of William Maass Company, for permission to maintain an undertaking establishment at premises No. 1335 Golden Gate avenue.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

Petition—Of G. Moller, for permission to erect a one-story frame building on premises owned by the City and County and formerly known as No. 631 California street.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications from the following officers in reply to request made for statement of current expenses, were received and read, to wit:

Librarian, San Francisco Law Library; Sheriff.

Ordered referred to Finance Committee.

NEW BUSINESS.

Suspending Pound Regulations.

Adopted.

Bill No. 7, Ordinance No. —, entitled "Providing for the suspension of the enforcement of Ordinance No. 115, entitled "An Ordinance to provide a Public Pound and to make necessary rules and regulations in the matter of animals running at large and for the custody and destruction of the same," (approved July 17, 1900), and all amendatory Ordinances thereof, except as to the provisions of said Ordinances relative to dogs running at large, for a period of ninety (90) days," heretofore referred to the Police Committee, and returned by

said Committee amended in its present form, and with the recommendation that said Bill do pass.. was taken up, and

On motion of Supervisor Bixton, adopted by unanimous vote, and as Ordinance No. 4 (New Series).

Passed for Printing.

Thereupon, said measure in words and figures similar to Ordinance No. 4 (New Series) was introduced as Bill No. 8, Ordinance No. — (New Series), and was, on motion of Supervisor Bixton, passed for printing.

Permit, Undertaking Establishment.

Adopted.

Supervisor Lonergan introduced the following Resolution:

Resolved, That the H. F. Maass Company, a corporation, be and it is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to establish and maintain an undertaking and embalming establishment at No. 1335 Golden Gate avenue.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Lonergan, and numbered Resolution No. 22 (New Series).

ROLL CALL FOR INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Assistant City Attorney Assigned to Supervisors.

Adopted.

Supervisor Coleman introduced the following Resolution, and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Whereas, The original files and records of the Acts and Proceedings of this Board have been totally destroyed by fire, and it is necessary that this Board have constantly in attendance someone to render legal service and advice; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he is hereby requested to direct Assistant City Attorney J. T. Williams to report to this Board at once, and to remain in attendance upon this Board until further notice.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor

Coleman, and numbered Resolution No. 23 (New Series).

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 3:40 o'clock, adjourned to meet Wednesday, May 9, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 9, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Wednesday, May 9, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present: Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of the meetings of May 1 and May 2, 1906, were read and approved as published in "The Recorder" of May 9, 1906.

The reading of the Journals of subsequent meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

A Communication from Cranston, Belvel and Dwyer, offering to lease for \$1500 per month premises S. W. corner of Geary and Gough streets, for Municipal purposes, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Public Buildings and Finance Committees.

A Petition from the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company, for permission to construct and maintain a spur track on Townsend street, between Second street and Clarence place, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

A Petition from M. Tsukamoto, for

permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 30 horsepower in premises No. 3500 Twenty-third street, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Fire Committee.

The following Petitions for permits to establish and maintain undertaking and embalming establishments at the premises hereinafter mentioned, were received, read and ordered referred to the Committee on Hospital and Health, to wit:

Theodor Dierks, No. 900 Devisadero street.

H. F. Suhr Co., No. 2919 Mission street.

Hermann Metzler & Co., No. 1892 Folsom street.

A Petition from Isaac Elias, with claim in sum of \$247.65, for services rendered in Registrar's office in the year 1904, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Finance Committee.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

A Communication from the Civil Service Commission, requesting that provision be made at once for the opening of the safe in its former offices, City Hall, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Public Buildings Committee.

A Communication from the Tax Collector, calling attention to the necessity of awarding the contract for publishing the Delinquent Tax List, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Committee on Equalization of Assessments.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury, amounting to \$1139.90, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 54 to 76 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and

On his motion said Demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffy, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Dumping Debris in Precita Valley Swamp.

Referred.

Supervisor Kelly introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Whereas, The unsanitary condition of the basin lying between Potrero avenue extended, Army street, Alabama street and Serpentine avenue, and commonly known as the "Precita Valley Swamp", has constituted a public nuisance for many years past, which fact was recognized by the Board of Supervisors when it appropriated the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) in the Budget of the fiscal year 1905-1906, for the extension of Hampshire and York streets, through said swamp, and for the filling in and construction of sew-

Whereas, The Ocean Shore Railroad Company has been granted the privilege by his Honor the Mayor of laying tracks on Twenty-fifth street, Capp street and other streets for the purpose of removing the debris from the burnt districts and carrying the same to the Islais Creek Basin; and

Whereas, Said Precita Valley Swamp lies in the immediate vicinity of the proposed dumping ground, and if said debris is placed therein it will at once abate the outstanding nuisance of many years and relieve the City and County of San Francisco from the cost of filling the streets proposed to be extended and the property immediately adjacent thereto; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors hereby requests the Board of Public Works to instruct the Ocean Shore Railroad Company to dump in said Precita Valley Swamp a portion of the debris removed from the burnt district for the purpose of abating the

nuisance therein existing and of assisting the City and County by relieving it of the expense of said fill.

Motion.

Supervisor Kelly moved the adoption of the Resolution.

Amendment to Motion.

Supervisor Lonergan moved as an amendment, that the Resolution be referred to the Joint Committee on Streets, Sewers and Parks and Hospital and Health, with instructions that said Committee report on the Resolution not later than Monday, May 14, 1906.

So ordered.

**Sewer for Emergency Hospital.
Adopted.**

Supervisor Lonergan introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized to expend the sum of sixty dollars (\$60.00) for the purpose of constructing a sewer to connect the main sewer with the Emergency Hospital located at Jefferson Square, the said expenditure to be paid out of the Surplus Fund of the fiscal year 1904-1905.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Kelly, and numbered Resolution No. 24 (New Series).

**Use of Supervisors' Chambers for
Meeting Electrical Workers.
Adopted.**

Supervisor Mamlock introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Resolved, That the use of the Supervisors' Chambers at "Mowry's Hall" be and the same is hereby granted to The Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local No. 151, on this (Wednesday evening), May 9, 1906, for the purpose of enabling the members of said Union to assemble together and transact their business in this time of emergency and distress.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Mamlock, and numbered Resolution No. 25 (New Series).

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, at the hour of 4:30 o'clock, the Board adjourned to meet Thursday, May 10, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

THURSDAY, MAY 10, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Thursday, May 10, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journal of the meeting of May 3, 1906, was considered read and approved as published in "The Recorder" of May 10, 1906.

The reading of the Journals of the meetings subsequent to May 3, 1906, was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

A Communication from the San Francisco Labor Council, transmitting a copy of Communication received from the Central Labor Council of Jamestown, New York, calling attention to the fact that the voting machines and metal furniture heretofore used by San Francisco were made by non-union firms, and requesting that no further orders be given to firms employing non-union help, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Committee on Capital and Labor.

A Communication from his Excellency, George C. Pardee, Governor of the State of California, stating that none other than the usual holiday proclamations have been issued by his office, was received and read.

Ordered placed on file.

A Petition from McAvoy & O'Hara, for permission to erect a one-story building on Western Addition Block No. 73, Public Library site, for the purpose of continuing their undertaking establishment, heretofore lo-

cated on said premises, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Finance Committee.

A Communication from the San Francisco delegation, State Legislature, requesting the use of the Supervisors' Chambers for meeting purposes on Saturday afternoon, May 12, 1906, was received and read.

Ordered referred to the Public Buildings Committee.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the County Clerk, requesting that provision be made at once for the proper equipment and conduct of his office, and also transmitting an estimate of the receipts and expenditures of said office for the fiscal year 1906-1907.

From the Twenty-sixth Street Hospital, submitting list of contractors furnishing supplies to that institution.

From the Civil Service Commission, with statement of current expenses.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

From the County Clerk, transmitting copy of request made of his Honor the Mayor, that adequate quarters be provided for the accommodation of the records of his office and for the transaction of business.

NEW BUSINESS.

Temporary Use of Streets by Railroads.

Supervisor Boxton stated that a Report was due from the Street Committee on the question of the use of streets by railroad companies and others.

Statement by Clerk.

The Clerk stated that by direction of the Street Committee, he had communicated with his Honor the Mayor, requesting information in this matter, and that he had been informed by his Honor that after he had obtained the best legal advice possible he had issued emergency permits to certain railroads for the removal of debris from the streets. These permits were revocable at pleasure, and were issued

in the exercise of his executive functions in a case of extraordinary emergency. If written authority was given by the legislative branch the permits might later be construed to have conferred vested rights upon the permittees. As it is now, the privileges can be revoked at the pleasure of the executive.

Supervisor Rea expressed himself as satisfied with the Report of the Clerk as to the matter of the issuance of permits by the executive, but requested that a list of the streets so used and the companies exercising these privileges be furnished.

Instructions from Chair.

The Chair instructed the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee to report, at the next meeting of the Board, a list of the temporary street railroad privileges exercised under executive authority.

Re-reference.

At the request of Supervisor Nicholas, the offer of Madison & Burke to rent premises at the southwest corner of Gough and Turk streets for Municipal purposes, heretofore referred to the Public Buildings Committee, was referred to the Joint Committee on Finance and Public Buildings.

Relating to Suspension of Pound Regulations.

Motion.

Supervisor Sanderson stated that it had been called to his attention that the temporary suspension of the Pound regulations was being abused by cattlemen and others to the injury of small property holders, and moved that G. W. Owen, representing the residents of the Reis Tract be granted the privilege of the floor.

So ordered.

Privilege of the Floor.

Thereupon, Mr. Owen addressed the Board in relation to the matter of the suspension of the Pound regulations, stating that the privilege of grazing cattle and other animals in the Reis Tract had been grossly abused, through permitting the cattle to roam at large without the care of herders, and that if the abuse continued the people there settled would be compelled to leave. He claimed that cattle were even brought from San Mateo County to graze, and in conclusion

asked that the Ordinance be amended by requiring animals to be staked out in lots and not permitted to run at large.

Motion.

Supervisor Sanderson moved the reference of the matter to the Police Committee.

So ordered.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Leasing Western National Bank Vaults as Depository for Treasurer.

Adopted.

Supervisor Davis introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Whereas, Owing to the disastrous fire, following the earthquake of April 18th, 1906, the office of the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco was totally destroyed and rendered unfit for further use; and

Whereas, The Western National Bank, located in the James Flood building, through civic pride, has offered gratuitously to the Treasurer of this City and County office room for the use of his clerical staff; therefore

Resolved, That this Board hereby expresses its deep appreciation and thanks to the Western National Bank for the kindness and generosity; and further

Resolved, That the Treasurer is hereby authorized and empowered to accept the offer of the Western National Bank.

Further resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized and empowered to rent a steel vault from the Western National Bank, as good and equally as large as the old vault in the City Hall, for the accommodation of the City's coin, records, bonds, etc., for a period of one (1) year at a monthly rental of three hundred dollars (\$300).

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Davis and numbered Resolution No. 26 (New Series).

Iron Trades Council Use Supervisors' Chambers.

Adopted.

Supervisor Furey introduced the following Resolution and moved the

suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Resolved, That the Iron Trades Council be and it is hereby granted permission to use the Supervisors Chambers, in "Mowry's Hall", Laguna and Grove street, on Sunday morning, May 13, 1906, for meeting purposes.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Furey and numbered Resolution No. 27 (New Series).

San Francisco Delegation Use Supervisors' Chambers.

Adopted.

Supervisor Nicholas introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Resolved, That the use of the Supervisors' Chambers, "Mowry's Hall", be and the same is hereby granted to the San Francisco delegation of the State Legislature, from and after the hour of two (2) o'clock p. m., Saturday, May 12th, 1906.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor

Furey, and numbered Resolution No. 28 (New Series).

Relating to Conference With San Francisco Delegation.

Motion.

Supervisor Furey moved that a Committee of the Board be appointed to confer with the San Francisco delegation of the State Legislature regarding legislation to be considered at the proposed extra session of the Legislature.

Amendment.

Supervisor Coleman moved to amend, that as many members of the Board as desire to attend the meeting of the San Francisco delegation at the Supervisors' Chambers on Saturday afternoon, May 12th, be authorized to do so.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, at the hour of 5:10 o'clock, the Board, on motion of Supervisor Boxton, adjourned to meet on Monday, May 14th, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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MONDAY, MAY 14, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, May 14, 1906, 2:30 p. m:

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of the meetings subsequent to May 4, 1906, was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

Of Edward Kelly, City Undertaker, for reimbursement to the extent of \$1000 for extra services rendered by him in burying the dead perishing in the late calamity.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of Bunker & Lunt, for permission to maintain an undertaking and embalming establishment at premises No. 2666 Mission street.

Of Monahan & Co., for permission to establish and maintain undertaking parlors at premises No. 1311 Guerrero street.

Protest—Of B. M. Thomas, and

other Property Owners and Residents, against the establishment of a sanitarium or hospital in premises situate No. 2835 Bush street.

Communication—From William Taaffe & Co. (Inc.), submitting bill for meats furnished the City and County Hospital during the month of April, 1906.

To the Police Committee.

Petition—Of Ben Levy, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$2.50, moneys paid the Poundkeeper for the release of one dog alleged to have been illegally impounded.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

Petition—Of District Council of Painters of San Francisco, to grant it the use of public land for the purpose of housing its homeless members.

Communications—From O. R. Bailey, of Jackson, Miss., stating that if transportation is furnished he will send thirty carpenters, all competent craftsmen, to San Francisco.

From Herring-Hall-Marvin Safe Co., stating that it is in a position to furnish safes to the Municipality.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Communication—From the Verein Eintracht, submitting Resolutions adopted by that body, favoring the acquisition of a municipal water supply having its source in the Sierra Nevada Mountains.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Communications—From Herbert E. Law, requesting that the damage to street at corner of Vallejo street and Van Ness avenue and extending into the middle of the block each way, be immediately repaired.

From W. L. Williamson, complaining that the pavement on Natoma street, between First and Second streets, whereon a temporary track was recently laid and subsequently removed, has been torn up by the Railroad Company and not replaced.

File.

A Communication from Hilmer, Harris Co., Commission Merchants, Oakland, Cal., inquiring when bids will be received for City and County Institutions, was received and read.

Ordered filed, and Clerk directed to reply when advertisement will be made.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the City Attorney, submitting an estimate of expenditures for his office for the fiscal year 1906-1907.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, transmitting an adverse Report of the City Engineer on petition of property owners to require the Ocean Shore Railroad Company to cross Onondaga avenue at grade.

Also, recommending that J. J. Dowling be granted an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after June 22, 1906, within which to complete his contract for the improvement of the crossings of Ninth avenue and J street and Tenth avenue and J street.

Also, recommending that J. J. Dowling be granted an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after May 10, 1906, within which to complete his contract to bituminize the crossing of Twenty-third and Sanchez streets.

Also, recommending that J. J. Dowling be granted an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after May 15, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the paving of Harrison street, between Fourth and Sixth streets.

Also, recommending that the Eureka Construction Company be granted an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after May 1, 1906, within which to complete contract for the construction of sewers, with appurtenances, in California street, from the

center line of Thirty-first avenue to Thirty-fourth avenue, and in Thirty-fourth avenue between California and Lake streets.

Also, recommending that the Eureka Construction Company be granted an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after May 1, 1906, within which to complete contracts for the construction of sewers, with appurtenances, in Ocean avenue, Onondaga and San Jose avenues; and also, for the construction of sewers in Seventh avenue, between H and L streets.

Also, recommending that Flinn & Treacy be granted an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after May 1, 1906, within which to complete the following contracts, to wit:

Construction of stone curbs and pavement on the crossing of Castro and Fifteenth streets.

Construction of stone curbs and pavements, Castro street, between Fifteenth and Henry streets.

Construction of stone curbs and pavement, Elizabeth street, between Noe and Castro streets.

Reconstruction of curbs and construction of basalt block and bituminous rock pavements, Pacific street, between Kearny and Stockton streets.

Also, recommending that the Pacific Coast Construction Company be granted an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after May 16, 1906, within which to complete its contract for the construction of the Sixth street sewer, authorized by the bond issue.

To the Joint Committee on Finance and Public Buildings.

From the Secretary of the Superior Court, submitting statement of current expenses of the Departments of the Superior Court.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following votes and numbered as follows, to wit:

Prohibiting Mutilation of Certificates of Inspection as to Safety of Buildings.

Bill No. 2, Ordinance No. 5 (New Series), entitled "Making it unlawful to tear down, deface, or mutilate any certificate of inspection, or other notice of official authority publicly or otherwise displayed, or posted, certifying to the safe, or unsafe condition

of any building, or structure, or any portion thereof, and providing a penalty for the violation of this Ordinance."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Relating to Undertaking and Embalming Establishments.

Bill No. 5, Ordinance No. 6 (New Series), entitled, "Prohibiting the establishment and maintenance of undertaking or embalming establishments, without first obtaining a permit therefor from the Board of Supervisors."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Relating to Chimney Inspection.

Bill No. 6, Ordinance No. 7 (New Series), entitled, "Prohibiting the use of chimneys until inspection thereof is made by the Board of Public Works; providing for such inspection and for the appointment by said Board of chimney inspectors, and authorizing the issuance of certificates of inspection, fixing the amount of fees and providing for the payment thereof."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Extension Time, Street Work.

Supervisor Rea introduced Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Flinn & Treacy an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after May 1, 1906, within which to complete their contracts to perform the following street work, to wit:

Construction of stone curbs and pavement on the crossing of Castro and Fifteenth streets.

Construction of stone curbs and pavement on Castro street, between Fifteenth and Henry streets.

Construction of stone curbs and pavement on Elizabeth street, between Noe and Castro streets.

Reconstruction of curbs and construction of basalt block and bituminous rock pavement, on Pacific street, between Kearny and Stockton streets.

Recommitted.

Supervisor Mamlock moved that all matters relating to extensions of time on street work be recommitted to the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee, with instructions to segregate outside streets from those in the burnt district.

So ordered.

Temporary Suspension Public Pound Regulations.

Passed for Printing.

Supervisor Sanderson introduced Bill No. 9, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the suspension for a period of ninety (90) days of the enforcement of Ordinance No. 115, entitled, 'An Ordinance to Provide a Public Pound and to Make Necessary Rules and Regulations in the Matter of Animals Running at Large, and for the Custody and Destruction of the Same,' (approved July 17, 1900), and all amendatory ordinances thereof, except as to the provisions of said ordinances relative to dogs running at large," the provisions of which require, among other things, that a herder be in constant attendance and custody of herds or bands of cattle, sheep or other animals in excess of five in number, which was

On his motion, passed for printing.

Permitting Use of Overhead Trolley System on Cable Lines.

Supervisor Wilson introduced Bill No. 10, Ordinance No. —, (New Series); as follows:

"An Ordinance authorizing and directing the United Railroads of San Francisco to operate all of their several cable railway lines, so far as grades will permit, by electricity, by means of the so-called overhead trolley system."

Be it ordained by the people of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The United Railroads of San Francisco is hereby authorized and directed to operate all of its several cable railway lines and franchises, so far as grades will permit, by electricity, by means of the so-called overhead trolley system, and to erect the necessary poles and string the necessary wires and provide and use the proper and necessary means to that end.

Sec. 2. The work of installing said electrical equipment shall be immediately begun and shall be prosecuted

with all possible expedition and without interruption until said cable lines and franchises, so far as grades will permit, are equipped for electric operation.

Sec. 3. Said electrical equipment shall be first-class in every particular and shall include highly ornamental poles along Market street from the Ferry to Valencia street, and along Sutter street, from Market street to the west line of Van Ness avenue, upon each of which said poles on Market street, and upon every alternate pole on Sutter street, said United Railroads shall install and maintain, at its own expense and without any expense to the city, electric lights for the lighting of said Market street from the Ferry to Valencia street, and of said Sutter street from Market street to the west line of Van Ness avenue.

First-class iron poles shall be used in the permanent construction of all of said lines and the feed wires shall be carried underground on Market street from the Ferry to Valencia street, and on Sutter street from Market street to the west line of Van Ness avenue. Provided that temporary construction may be employed until material can be obtained for permanent construction in accordance with the terms of this Ordinance, such material to be obtained with all possible expedition.

Sec. 4. Nothing in this Ordinance contained shall be so construed as to extend any franchise or franchises now held by said United Railroads beyond the time limited in any of said franchises, respectively, nor are any rights granted or intended to be granted hereby, save and except alone the rights above specifically set forth and described; it being distinctly understood that all of the existing rights, duties, obligations and contracts of the said United Railroads of San Francisco and the said City and County of San Francisco, including the payment of all percentages of receipts now provided for, shall remain unchanged and unaffected by reason of anything herein contained, save and except that said several cable railway lines of said United Railroads of San Francisco may and shall be hereafter operated by electricity in the manner hereinbefore set forth.

Passed for printing, on motion of Supervisor Wilson, by unanimous vote.

Relating to Filling of Precita Valley Swamp.

Supervisor Kelly inquired if a Report had been made by the Hospital and Health and Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee in the matter of filling in of Precita Valley Swamp, with debris from the burnt district.

Supervisor Lonergan of the Hospital and Health Committee stated that a Report will be made on this question next week.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$1725.58, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 77 to 90, inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and

On his motion, said Demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

ROLL CALL FOR INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Invitation to Inspect Works of Spring Valley Water Company.

Motion.

Supervisor Coleman moved that Mr. George E. Booker, Chief Clerk of the Spring Valley Water Company, be granted the privilege of the floor for the purpose of extending an invitation to the Board to visit the works of the Spring Valley Water Company. So ordered.

Thereupon, Mr. Booker invited his Honor the Mayor and the members of the Board to make a trip of inspection of the pipes and reservoirs of the Spring Valley Water Company, and to witness the work of reconstruction since the earthquake, the purpose being to satisfy the public that the works are now in good condition and capable of supplying present and future needs.

Motion.

Supervisor Bixton moved the acceptance of the invitation, the trip to be made on Saturday morning, May 19, 1906.

So ordered.

Supervisor Gallagher was noted present.

Thanking City of Oakland for Assistance Rendered San Francisco During Calamity.

Adopted.

Supervisor Furey introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Whereas, After the earthquake of April 18th, 1906, and the disastrous fire following, our sister city of Oakland was first to aid us in our distress by sending its Fire Department to gallantly assist the members of our own Department, who were bravely and courageously fighting the conflagration, which subsequently devastated our city; and

Whereas, the City of Oakland and its citizens were the first to respond most promptly and generously to our call for assistance in providing, housing and caring for our afflicted and homeless people; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the people of the City and County of San Francisco, acting by and through its representatives, the Board of Supervisors, do hereby express to the City of Oakland, its honored Mayor, its Fire Department and other departments and officials, and to all the citizens of that fair city our sincere and heartfelt gratitude for the aid so kindly and promptly tendered our people in their time of trouble and distress; further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be transmitted to the Mayor of the City of Oakland, to its Council, and that the same be published in the daily press.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Furey, and numbered Resolution No. 29 (New Series).

Thanking City of San Jose for Assistance Given San Francisco During Calamity.

Adopted.

Supervisor Harrigan introduced the following Resolution, and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, in meeting assembled, that the thanks of the municipality and of its people, be and they are hereby tendered to the City of San Jose and its people for their prompt and efficient assistance in aiding the people of the City and County of San Francisco during the period of disaster following the earthquake and fire of April 18th, 1906.

Although the City of San Jose, itself, suffered severely from the calamity which befell our city, nevertheless the Fire Department thereof responded as quickly as attendant circumstances would permit, to the relief of the Fire Department of this city, and moreover, the people of San Jose have shown the true spirit of patriotism in helping and housing the afflicted and homeless people of our city, who were obliged there to seek refuge.

Further Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be transmitted to the Mayor and to the City Council of the City of San Jose.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Harrigan, and numbered Resolution No. 30 (New Series).

Thanking Fire Department for Services Rendered During Conflagration.

Adopted.

Supervisor Mamlock introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration:

So ordered.

Whereas, During the calamitous times which prevailed in our beloved city following the earthquake of April 18, 1906, and the terrible disaster of fire continuing for three days, no more heroic or courageous conduct was displayed than that of the members of our Fire Department, who, together with the citizen volunteers aiding them, during all this troublous period gallantly fought the conflagration, although almost helpless through lack of water and other adverse circumstances; and

Whereas, Whenever water was available the efficiency of the Fire Department was shown by the diversion of the fires at those points, and to their credit may it be said that what is left of San Francisco is due mainly to their efforts; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San

Francisco, representing the people of this City and County, that the thanks and gratitude of our people be and hereby is given and expressed to the members of the Fire Department and to the citizen volunteers for their courageous and manly conduct and for their enduring fortitude in those times of peril and distress.

Further resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be ordered transmitted to the Board of Fire Commissioners with the request that a copy of the same be posted in each Fire Department House standing in the city.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Mamlock, and numbered Resolution No. 31 (New Series).

Inviting Submission of Offers to Furnish a Water Supply to San Francisco.

Adopted.

Supervisor Phillips introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Whereas, Pursuant to Resolution No. 7130 of this Board, approved March 12, 1906, several offers from persons, companies or corporations having or controlling sources of pure, fresh water adequate for the city's needs and purposes, and which they were willing to transfer to the City and County of San Francisco, were filed with the Board of Supervisors on April 9, 1906; and

Whereas, Said offers so filed were destroyed with other records of the Supervisors by the fire following the earthquake of April 18th, 1906; now, therefore,

Resolved, That each and all the said persons, companies and corporations be and they are hereby requested to renew and resubmit to the Board of Supervisors on or before Monday, May 21, 1906, their respective offers heretofore filed and destroyed, and all other persons, companies or corporations having or controlling sources of water supply are hereby requested to present and submit to this Board for its consideration their respective propositions for furnishing the city an adequate supply of pure, fresh water, giving a complete outline of their sources of supply and of the title thereof, and the price for which the same will be furnished to the city. No supply will be considered which will not be capable of furnishing to the City and County

an immediate daily supply of not less than 60,000,000 gallons per day and an absolute guarantee of a future possible development of not less than 200,000,000 gallons per day as the population of the city shall increase.

The propositions so to be resubmitted and submitted are to be considered by this Board, but the Board does not commit itself to the acquisition of any one of them, unless the same shall be in all respects adequate and satisfactory, both as to the quality and quantity of the supply and its ultimate cost to the city.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Phillips, and numbered Resolution No. 32 (New Series).

Permitting Ocean Shore Railroad Company to Use Timber Subways and to Cross Onondaga Avenue at Grade.

Supervisor Rea introduced the following Resolution, and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Be it resolved by the Board of Supervisors, that in order to facilitate the construction by the Ocean Shore Railway Company of its railroad within the City and County of San Francisco, permitted by the provisions of an Ordinance entitled "Ordinance No. 1623, providing for a grant to the Ocean Shore Railway Company, a railway corporation, of a right of way for, and the right to construct, maintain and operate a railroad, together with all necessary branches, sidetracks, turnouts, switches, crossings, spur tracks, yard tracks, depot tracks and terminal tracks, and facilities, along, over, under, across and upon certain streets, avenues, alleys, places and properties in the City and County of San Francisco," approved October 5th, 1905, the said Ocean Shore Railway Company may construct temporary timber subways where the said railroad crosses under Mission street at its intersection with Canal street; also under Sickles avenue at its intersection with De Wolf street; also under San Jose avenue at its intersection with Regent street; also under Liebeg street, Palmetto avenue, Fifteenth avenue South and Dickenson street. Said temporary timber subways, or any of them, shall be replaced at any time hereafter by said Ocean Shore Railway Company upon six months' notice from the City and County of San Francisco, and when so replaced

they shall be constructed as in said ordinance provided. And said Ocean Shore Railway Company may also construct its said railroad across Ocean and Onondaga avenues at grade.

Privilege of the Floor.

Mr. J. Downey Harvey, representing the Ocean Shore Railway Company, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating that it will be impossible to secure structural steel for the construction of the subways of the road for several months, and that the temporary privilege of using wood is requested, inasmuch as it is desirable to commence work on the road at the earliest possible date, in order to provide work for many of the unemployed in the City.

Adopted.

Whereupon, the question being taken, the said Resolution was adopted and numbered Resolution No. 33 (New Series).

Respect to Memory of Samuel Braunhart.

Adopted.

Under suspension of the rules, Supervisor Rea introduced Resolutions to the memory of ex-Supervisor Samuel Braunhart, which were, on his motion, adopted as Resolution No. 34 (New Series).

Said Resolutions were introduced and adopted under misapprehension, the death of ex-Supervisor Braunhart being reported in the columns of the daily press of May 16, 1906, which report proved to be erroneous. (See Journal of May 16, 1906.)

Thanking Police Department for Services Rendered During the Calamity.

Adopted.

Supervisor Sanderson introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Whereas, Among the first to respond to duty's call in the troublous times of misery and distress following the earthquake of April 18th and the disastrous conflagration ensuing were the members of the Police Department of San Francisco, who, under the capable, intelligent and forceful direction of the efficient Chief thereof, Jeremiah F. Dinan, and aided by the prompt and efficient action of the military author-

ities, succeeded in repressing all looting and crimes against life and property; and

Whereas, the perfect organization of that department is manifested day by day when we are now recovering from the terrible affliction which has befallen us; now, therefore,

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors, representing the people of the City and County of San Francisco, does hereby express its sincere appreciation and thanks for the services rendered and now being rendered by the Police Department of this City and County.

Further resolved, That a copy of these Resolutions be transmitted to the Board of Police Commissioners with the request that copies of the same be posted in the existing police stations of the City and County.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Sanderson, and numbered Resolution No. 35 (New Series).

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, at the hour of 2:30 o'clock, the Board adjourned to meet on Wednesday, May 16, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 16, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Wednesday, May 16th, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harri-gan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of previous meetings not approved was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Fire Committee.

Petition—Of C. F. Hornung, for per-

mission to erect and maintain an eight (8) horsepower steam boiler at premises No. 420 Church street, the same to be used for boiling sausages.

Communication—From Eliza Stern, with notice that the walls of the Harbor Police Station, northeast corner of Drumm and Commercial streets, are in a dangerous condition, and are liable to fall and injure those engaged in construction of her building in premises adjoining.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of the following named to establish and maintain undertaking and embalming establishments at the following locations, to wit:

California Undertaking Company, 2210 Steiner street.

Carew & English, 1618 Geary street.

N. Gray & Co., 2198 Geary street.

A. W. Martin & Co., 1868 Geary street.

McFadden, McBrearty & Green, 1070 Haight street.

To the Police Committee.

Petition—Of W. G. Wittman, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$2.50, paid the Poundkeeper for the release of one dog alleged to have been illegally impounded.

To the Special Committee on Water Supplies.

From Committee on Reconstruction of San Francisco, transmitting Communication from Independence League of California relative to Tuolumne River Water Supply.

File.

The following matters were received, read and ordered placed on file, to wit:

Petition—Of Rosina Poehlman, to grant the United Railroads, of San Francisco a permit to operate an overhead trolley system on Larkin, Polk, Ninth and Sutter streets.

Of Isabella V. Pomeroy, to permit the United Railroads of San Francisco to operate overhead trolley wires on its Larkin and Sutter street systems.

Resolutions—Of Larkin and Ninth street Improvement Clubs, favoring a trolley system on Larkin, Ninth and Polk streets and on Pacific avenue.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from

City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the City Attorney, submitting renewal of offer of Dr. J. D. Whitney, to sell for \$9000 a subdivision of Outside Land Block No. 368, forming a part of the Park and Presidio Extension, and recommending the acceptance of said offer.

From the Department of Electricity, submitting estimate of expenditures of said Department for the fiscal year 1906-1907.

From the Sheriff, submitting list of contractors furnishing supplies under his charge.

From the Board of Public Works, with statement of monthly rental of premises located at 1743-1753 and 1752 Ellis street, wherein several of its Departments are quartered.

From the Board of Health, with requisition for six ambulance horses.

To the Joint Committee on Public Buildings and Finance.

From the Sheriff, requesting that provision be made forthwith to provide for the accommodation of prisoners at the various jails.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Union and Broderick streets, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Union street, between Broderick and Baker streets, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Union and Devisadero streets, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Union street, between Devisadero and Broderick street, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Filbert, and Broderick streets, paved with bituminous rock.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Nicholas, reported verbally in favor of granting the District Council of Painters permission to use a portion of the Park and Presidio Extension for a period of within six to twelve months, for the purpose of

erecting structures thereon to house the homeless members of said Council.

Matter referred back to the Committee on Public Buildings for further investigation.

NEW BUSINESS.

Authorizing Payment of March Water Service.

Passed for Printing.

Supervisor Gallagher introduced Resolution No. — (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$5327.32 to be made out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1905-6, in payment to Spring Valley Water Company for water supplied for municipal purposes during the month of March, 1906, as per bill rendered, to wit:

Water for Public Buildings....\$1166.66
Water for Fire Hydrants..... 4160.66

Total\$5327.32
which was,

On his motion, passed for printing.
Issuance of Permits to Undertakers.
Adopted.

Supervisor Lonergan introduced the following Resolution, which was, on his motion, adopted, and numbered Resolution No. 36 (New Series):

Resolved, That the following named be and they are hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to establish, maintain or operate undertaking and embalming establishments at the locations hereinafter specified, in accordance with their several Petitions heretofore filed with the Board of Supervisors, to wit:

H. F. Suhr Company, 2919 Mission street.

Theodore Dierks, 900 Devisadero street.

Hermann Metzler & Co., 840 Fourteenth street.

Monahan & Co., 1311 Guerrero street.

Bunker & Lent, 2666 Mission street.

McFadden, McBrearty & Green, 1070 Haight street.

A. W. Martin & Co., 1868 Geary street.

California Undertaking Co., 2210 Steiner street.

N. Gray & Co., 2198 Geary street.

J. C. O'Connor & Co., 1062 Fulton street.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$1323.25, and entered in Regis-

ter of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 91 to 98, inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion, said Demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Supervisor Duffey was noted present.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Withdrawal of Resolution.

Supervisor Rea stated that the Resolutions of respect to the memory of Samuel Brauhart, ex-Supervisor, passed at the last meeting, were adopted under misapprehension, the death of the ex-Supervisor being announced in the columns of the daily press of May 14, 1906, although such was not the fact, and he therefore moved that Resolution No. 34 (New Series), be rescinded, ordered withdrawn from the files, and all reference thereto expunged from the Journal of Proceedings.

So ordered.

Mayor Appoint Memorial Day Committee.

Adopted.

Supervisor Boxtton introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to appoint a Committee of Twenty-five citizens for the purpose of making arrangements and disbursing the appropriation set aside in the Budget of the fiscal year 1905-1906, as authorized by the Charter, Sub. 18, Section 1, Chapter 2, Article II, for the proper observance of Memorial Day, May 30th, 1906.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor

Boxton and numbered Resolution No. 37 (New Series).

the Board at the hour of 3:35 o'clock adjourned to meet on Monday, May 21, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business,

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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MONDAY, MAY 21, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, May 21, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present: Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—18.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of the meetings of May 4, May 7, May 8, May 9 and May 10, 1906, were read and approved.

PRESSENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were received, read and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

Petitions—Of William Dempsey and John Sperring, by W. W. Sanderson, their attorney in fact, for the refunding to them of the respective sums of \$77.00 and \$40.00, being moneys paid the Tax Collector under protest for the De Haro street change of grade assessment, which assessment was subsequently declared null and void.

Of Albert Goldmann, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$68.58, paid the Tax Collector June 16, 1904,

for the De Haro street change of grade assessment, which assessment was subsequently held to be null and void.

Communications—From Code, Portwood Canning Company, with Demand against the City and County of San Francisco for \$4723.55, damages for merchandise alleged to have been taken by mob from their warehouse, northeasterly corner of Tenth and Bryant streets on the 18th and 19th days of April, 1906.

From General Investments Corporation of Los Angeles, requesting that it be notified in the event of the sale of bonds of the City and County of San Francisco.

From Finance Committee Relief and Red Cross Funds, transmitting claim of Reliance Automobile Co., in sum of \$20.00, for services rendered April 20, 1906, in securing horses for the Fire Department.

From Finance Committee of Relief and Red Cross Funds, transmitting claim of Twin Peaks Garage, in sum of \$630.00, for transportation services rendered the dynamiting squad from April 20, to May 8, 1906.

To the Joint Committee on Finance and Public Buildings.

Petition—Of O. M. Robinson, for privilege of leasing City and County property at premises situate southwest corner of St. Mary's and California streets.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of Pioneer Soda Works, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of fifty horsepower in premises No. 51 Sharon

street, the same to be used for the distillation of water in the manufacture of soda water.

Of Henry J. Schober, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler in premises situate on Bryant street, 25 feet easterly from Morris avenue, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Of A. B. Maynard, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of ten horsepower at premises situate No. 517 Clayton street.

Resolution—Of South of Market Street Property Owners' Association, against hasty action being taken in the matter of fixing the Fire Limits.

To the Joint Committee on Fire and Streets, Sewers and Parks.

Petition—Of H. P. Gordon, for permission to use dynamite for the purpose of razing buildings destroyed by fire in the burnt district.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of Henry J. Gallagher Undertaking Company, for permission to establish and maintain an undertaking and embalming establishment at premises No. 1314 Webster street.

Of Joseph Hagan, for permission to conduct undertaking parlors in premises No. 2530 California street.

Protest—Of Mrs. H. Salmonson, against granting permission to A. W. Martin & Co. to maintain undertaking parlors at No. 1368 Geary street.

To the License and Orders Committee.

Petitions—Of Rev. Theo. F. Burnham, Chairman of the Committee on Reform, Federation of Churches Northern and Central California, requesting that a special committee of clergymen be given an opportunity to be heard in the matter of the liquor license.

Of Ministerial Union of San Francisco, for a hearing before the Board of Supervisors in matter of fixing saloon licenses at \$1000 per annum, of refusing liquor licenses to grocery stores, of confining saloons to downtown business section, and of limiting the number thereof to one thousand.

Of California Liquor Dealers' Association and Knights of the Royal Arch, to fix the retail liquor license at \$400 per annum.

To the Printing and Salaries Committee.

Communications—From Mrs. Thomas R. Bannerman, donating to the Board of Supervisors eighty volumes of the Municipal Reports of San Francisco, and matters of similar nature, with which to form a nucleus of a new official library.

From the Beck Duplicator Company, submitting a circular and scale of prices of gelatine copying appliances.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

Petitions—Of Charles Alpers, President Civic Federation of Improvement Clubs, for a hearing in regard to the matter of regulation of heights of buildings.

Of Local Union No. 19, Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators, and Paperhangers of America, for permission to build temporary cottages on that portion of the Park and Presidio Extension bounded by Point Lobos avenue, Clement street, Thirteenth and Fourteenth avenues.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petitions—Of Schlesinger & Bender, to lay and maintain a spur track on Harrison street connecting their property on the southeast corner of Mariposa and Harrison streets with the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company.

Of Bay Shore Improvement Company, to permit the United Railroads of San Francisco to operate all its cable lines by means of the electric trolley system.

Of Alice Hueter, to permit the United Railroads of San Francisco to operate an overhead trolley on its Larkin and Sutter street systems.

Of Julius Deutsch, to permit the United Railroads to convert its Larkin and Sutter street systems into overhead trolley roads.

Of Jonas Schoenfeld, to permit the United Railroads of San Francisco to operate an overhead trolley on its Larkin and Sutter street systems.

Communication—From J. A. Watts, approving policy of refusing to grant extensions of time on contracts for street work in outside districts.

From Eureka Valley Improvement Association, thanking the Board for

its presumed determination to improve Market street from Valencia to Castro streets.

From North Central Improvement Association, recommending that the United Railroads of San Francisco be allowed to extend their trolley system along East street, out Bay and North Point streets to the Presidio.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee, to the License and Orders Committee and to the Public Buildings Committee.

Communication.

From the San Francisco Real Estate Board, transmitting Resolutions adopted by that body, endorsing the action of the Board granting the United Railroads the privilege of operating an overhead trolley system; advocating an increase in the liquor license to \$1000 per annum; and recommending that Congress be memorialized to pass an Act similar to the Drawback Act, passed after the great fire in Chicago, by means of which duties paid upon the importation of building materials were remitted.

To the Special Committee on Water Supply.

Communications—From William Muir, submitting a proposition to supply water to the City and County of San Francisco, from the north and middle forks of the American River.

From the Northern Sierra Power and Water Company, submitting proposition to supply water to the City and County from the North Fork of the Feather River.

From Sierra Nevada Water and Power Company, submitting proposition to supply water to the City and County from the Blue Lake and from the several forks of the Mokelumne River.

From Jay E. Russell, submitting proposition to furnish water and power supply to the City and County from the American River, above Auburn.

From Lake Tahoe and San Francisco Water Works, submitting proposition to furnish a water supply to San Francisco from Lake Tahoe.

From Stanislaus Electric Power Co., submitting a proposition to furnish a water supply to San Francisco, from the South Fork of the American River; from the North Fork of the

Cosumnes River and from Silver Lake and Twin Lakes, etc.

From Schofield Construction Company, stating that it is the owner of a source of water supply, capable of being developed to 400,000,000 gallons daily, and that surveys, maps and data thereof are being prepared and will be submitted later.

From Hugo D. Newhouse, stating that he represents persons having control of a water supply aggregating 200,000,000 gallons per day, and that data in relation thereto will be submitted later.

From Russell L. Dunn, stating that he will file an offer to furnish a water supply to San Francisco, when copy of original offer heretofore submitted to the Board of Supervisors is obtained from New York.

File.

A Petition of the United Railroads of San Francisco, for permission to operate a standard electric system on its cable lines, filed May 14, 1906, was received, read and ordered placed on file, the subject matter of said petition being considered and acted upon at the last meeting.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Public Buildings Committee.

From the Board of Fire Commissioners, transmitting a copy of Communication filed by said Commissioners with the Board of Public Works, recommending that provision be made for the recovery and custody of brick and building materials from dismantled and burnt fire houses.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Eureka and Nineteenth streets, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Seventeenth street, between San Bruno avenue and Kansas street, paved with bituminous rock.

File.

A Communication from the City

Engineer, stating that he has removed his quarters from 2511 Sacramento street to the Emerson School building on Pine street between Scott and Devisadero streets, was received, read and ordered placed on file.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Capital and Labor Committee, by Supervisor Furey.

Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Nicholas.

Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee, by Supervisor Rea.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Temporary Suspension of Public Pound Regulations.

Indefinite Postponement.

Bill No. 8, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled "Providing for the suspension of the enforcement of Ordinance No. 115, entitled 'An Ordinance to Provide a Public Pound and to Make Necessary Rules and Regulations in the Matter of Animals Running at Large, and for the Custody and Destruction of the Same,' (approved July 17, 1900), and all amendatory ordinances thereof, except as to the provisions of said ordinances relative to dogs running at large, for a period of ninety (90) days," heretofore passed for printing, was taken up, and

On motion, indefinitely postponed, a new measure amendatory thereof coming up on final passage as Bill No. 9.

Final Passage.

Bill No. 9, Ordinance No. —, (New Series, entitled "Providing for the suspension for a period of ninety (90) days of the enforcement of Ordinance No. 115, entitled 'An Ordinance to Provide a Public Pound and to Make Necessary Rules and Regulations in the Matter of Animals Running at Large, and for the Custody and Destruction of the Same' (approved July 17, 1900), and all amendatory ordinances thereof, except as to the provisions of said ordinances relative to dogs running at large," the provisions of which require that a herder be in constant attendance and custody of

herds or bands of cattle, sheep or other animals in excess of five in number, heretofore passed for printing, was taken up, and

Finally passed as Ordinance No. 8 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffy, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—18.

Permitting Use of Overhead Trolley System on Cable Lines.

Bill No. 10, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled:

"An Ordinance authorizing and directing the United Railroads of San Francisco to operate all of their several cable railway lines, so far as grades will permit, by electricity, by means of the so-called overhead trolley system," heretofore passed for printing, was taken up, and

Finally passed as Ordinance No. 9 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—18.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$1041.66, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 109 to 118, inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Gallagher, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said Demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—18.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment of March Light-
ing Service.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$26,524.26, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company for lighting public buildings and streets during the month of March, 1906, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payments April Repairs. to Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2172.72, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the City Street Improvement Company for repairs on bituminous paved streets during the month of April, 1906, as per contract and bill rendered.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$922.22, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the City Street Improvement Company for repairs on bituminous paved streets during the month of April, 1906, as per contract and bill rendered.

Spur Track, San Francisco Gas and Electric Co.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 11, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled "Granting the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company permission to construct and maintain, during the a spur track over and along Townsend street, connecting its property on Clarence place and Townsend street with the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company on Second and Townsend streets."

Extensions of Time on Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Flinn & Treacy an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after May 1, 1906, within which to complete their contracts to perform the following street work, to wit:

Construction of stone curbs and pavement on the crossing of Castro and Fifteenth streets.

Construction of stone curbs and pavement on Castro street, between Fifteenth and Henry streets.

Construction of stone curbs and pavement on Elizabeth street, between Noe and Castro streets.

Reconstruction of curbs and construction of basalt block and bitumin-

ous rock pavements on Pacific street, between Kearny and Stockton streets.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Pacific Coast Construction Company an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after May 16th, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of the Sixth street sewer.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting J. J. Dowling extensions of time to complete the following street work:

First—Ninety (90) days' time from and after May 10, 1906, within which to complete the contract to bituminize the crossing of Twenty-third and Sanchez streets.

Second—Ninety (90) days' time from and after June 22, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the improvement of the crossings of Ninth and Tenth avenues with J street.

Third—Ninety (90) days' time from and after May 15th, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the improvement of Harrison street, between Fourth and Sixth streets.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Eureka Construction Company extensions of time to perform the following street work, to wit:

Ninety (90) days' time from and after May 1st, 1906, within which to complete contracts for the construction of sewers, with appurtenances in Ocean avenue, Onondaga avenue and San Jose avenue.

Also, For the construction of sewers in Seventh avenue, between H and L streets.

Also, Ninety (90) days' time from and after May 1st, 1906, within which to complete contract for the construction of sewers with appurtenances in California street, from the center line of Thirty-first avenue to Twenty-fourth avenue, and in Twenty-fourth avenue, from the center line of California street to a point five feet south-erly from the northerly line of Lake street.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Refunding Poundkeeper's Fees.

On motion of Supervisor Sanderson: Resolution No. 38 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Auditor and the Treasurer be and they are hereby directed to respectively audit and pay out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1905-1906 to Ben Levy of No. 625 Laguna street, San Francisco, the sum of two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50), said sum representing moneys exacted by the Poundkeeper for the release of one dog illegally impounded.

This refund is authorized under and pursuant to the provisions of Section 13 of Ordinance No. 115, of the Board of Supervisors.

Issuance of Undertakers' Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. 39 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following named be and they are hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to establish and maintain undertaking and embalming establishments at the premises hereinafter set forth opposite their respective names:

Carew & English, located at 1618 Geary street.

Henry J. Gallagher Undertaking Company, located at 1314 Webster street.

Clerk Advertise Proposals for Supplies.

On motion of Supervisor Coffey: Resolution No. 40 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors be and he is hereby directed to advertise a notice inviting proposals for furnishing and supplying all necessary printing, books, stationery, subsistence and maintenance supplies for use of the various offices, departments, commissions and public institutions of the municipality for the ensuing fiscal year, commencing July 1, 1905, and ending June 30, 1907.

Acquisition of Park Extension Lands. Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Resolution No. 41 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The City Attorney pursuant to Resolution No. 5360, of the Board of Supervisors, approved December 19, 1904, has transmitted to this office the offer of James D. Whitney to convey to the City and County

of San Francisco, for the sum of nine thousand (\$9000.00) dollars, a good and sufficient fee simple title to that portion of Outside Land Block No. 368, particularly described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of C street with the easterly line of Fourteenth avenue; running thence northerly and along the easterly line of Fourteenth avenue two hundred and seventy-seven (277) feet; thence at a right angle easterly one hundred and fourteen (114) feet; thence at a right angle southerly one hundred and seventy-seven (177) feet; thence at a right angle westerly twenty-five (25) feet; thence at a right angle southerly one hundred (100) feet to the northerly line of C street; thence at a right angle westerly and along the northerly line of C street eighty-nine (89) feet to the easterly line of Fourteenth avenue and the point of commencement; being a part of Outside Land Block No. 368, as laid down and designated upon the official map of the City and County of San Francisco on file in the office of the Recorder of said City and County of San Francisco; and

Whereas, Said land above described has been set apart, with the remainder of said Outside Land Block No. 368, for park purposes under the provisions of Ordinance No. 704; therefore,

Resolved, That the said offer of James D. Whitney to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the land above described for the sum of nine thousand (\$9000.00) dollars, be and the same is hereby accepted by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, and the City Attorney is hereby directed to cause a good and sufficient deed to the land above described to be executed and delivered to the City and County of San Francisco, payment of the purchase price of nine thousand (\$9000.00) dollars, as aforesaid, to be made to said James D. Whitney upon the final approval by the City Attorney of the title to the land above described and upon the execution and delivery to the City and County of a good and sufficient deed as aforesaid.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolution was passed for printing:

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$9000, to be made out of the "Golden Gate Park and Presidio Extension Acquisition Account" of the Public Building Fund in payment to James D. Whitney as the purchase price of a subdivision of Outside Land Block No. 368, forming a part of the Park and Presidio Extension, and more particularly described in Resolution No. 41 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Relating to Issuance of Stable Permits. Referred.

Supervisor Coffey introduced Bill No. 12, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amendatory of Section 148 of Ordinance No. 645, entitled, 'Regulating the construction, erection, enlargement, raising, alteration, repair and use of buildings,'" (approved February 5, 1903), the provisions of which relate to the issuance of permits for stables, which was

On his motion, referred to the Hospital and Health Committee.

Relating to Consideration of Proposed Fire and Building Ordinance.

Supervisor Coleman asked that a time be fixed for the consideration of the proposed Fire and Building Ordinance to be presented by the Building Laws Committee of the General Committee appointed by his Honor the Mayor on the Reconstruction of San Francisco, and that the public be notified thereof.

Supervisor Gallagher stated that the Building Laws Committee had completed its labors and would report the result thereof tomorrow, May 22, 1906.

Thereupon, his Honor the Mayor fixed the hour of 2:30 p. m. Monday, May 28, 1906, as a Special Order of Business for the consideration of the proposed Fire and Building Ordinance.

Relating to Matter of Widening, Extending and Grading of Streets. Statement.

Supervisor Gallagher stated that the Committee on Widening, Extending and Grading of Streets of the General Committee of Forty on Reconstruc-

tion of San Francisco, had completed its labors and was ready to report and that Mr. A. Ruef, Acting Chairman thereof, desired to present a Resolution in relation thereto to the Board for its adoption.

Motion.

Supervisor Gallagher moved that Mr. A. Ruef be granted the privilege of the floor.

So ordered.

Privilege of Floor.

Thereupon, Mr. Ruef addressed the Board, stating in part that the Committee had given due consideration to the matter referred to them and after consultation with Mr. D. H. Burnham, the eminent architect of Chicago, and author of the "Burnham Plans" for the improvement and adornment of San Francisco, and with his assistant, Mr. Edward H. Bennett, had adopted a plan which included, among other things, the widening of Commercial street to Kearny street to eighty feet. Thence from Commercial and Kearny a curved diagonal proceeds to Taylor and Geary, continuing along Geary to Leavenworth, where two diagonals run, one to the junction of Sacramento street and Van Ness avenue and the other to the top of California street hill.

Another diagonal on the north side of the hill starts from Sacramento street and Van Ness avenue to a point on Pacific street and continues down that street to Montgomery avenue. It is part of this plan that Geary and Pacific streets are to be widened to one hundred feet and Montgomery avenue be made the same width from Pacific street south and extended diagonally to a junction with Fremont street, which likewise is widened to one hundred feet.

The result of the work was exemplified on a map, from which the gentleman explained in detail the particular improvements contemplated and their urgency as to immediate fulfillment and as to periods of time.

Report of Sub-Committee on Widening, Extending and Grading of Streets and Restoration of Pavements to General Committee of Forty on Reconstruction of San Francisco.

To the Honorable E. E. Schmitz, Mayor City and County of San Fran-

cisco, and Chairman Committee of Forty on Reconstruction of the City, and to said Committee of Forty: The undersigned, your Committee on Widening, Extending and Grading Streets and Restoring Pavements, beg leave to report that from the date of our appointment we have been in session almost daily, both as an individual committee and jointly with the Committees on Parks, Reservoirs and Boulevards, and on Burnham Plans, have given a great deal of time, attention and thought to the subjects committed to us for consideration, and after weighing carefully all projects and plans suggested, have evolved what we think will be found a most satisfactory and beneficial list of recommendations.

Realizing the necessity for immediate yet conservative action which confronts us, and that in the present financial situation of the city utility should be a more potent factor than mere beauty in the solving of the problems before us, yet recognizing that both of these important elements may be judiciously and advantageously combined, your committee has concluded to submit its several recommendations in the order of their apparent importance, and of the ability of the city to carry them out without imposing too great a burden of taxation on the property owners of the city. To accomplish this end your committee has reached the determination that some of these recommendations should be executed and carried into effect immediately, some may well be deferred for a period of five years, and some for a still longer period, say ten years.

In view of the fact that almost all of the lands through which the projected improvements are to run, are now vacant and devoid of improvements, and therefore may be acquired more easily and economically now than at any other time, your committee has devised a plan which seems entirely feasible for securing the required lands at once, even though the projected improvements may not be fully accomplished for some time thereafter.

This plan may be carried out without imposing any additional taxation on the property-holders of the city, by deferring payment until such time as, by reason of increase in the amount

of taxable property the same rate of taxation will produce the necessary revenue. Briefly, to accomplish this, your committee recommends that the Board of Supervisors shall by ordinance declare the city's intention at or before five years from date thereof, to purchase or condemn the required property, and shall cause bonds to be issued therefor, no part of which, however, shall be payable before five years from date of issuance, such bonds shall bear interest from their date of issuance, but no part of such interest shall be payable before five years from the date of issue. This will enable the city to acquire the lands necessary for the contemplated improvements during the five years without levying any tax therefor, and will at the same time enable the property owner whose land is to be acquired, to accept bonds therefor, which bonds he will be able to dispose of at once or may carry as an investment. These bonds will undoubtedly be for a long term, and will therefore be very desirable holdings. The improvement is a permanent one which will enhance real estate values in all parts of the city, the amount of tax levied to meet them will be almost insignificant. The benefits of the added valuation accruing therefrom will increase a thousand-fold as compared with the expenses required to produce them.

Under these conditions your committee recommends that the following improvements be submitted to the Board of Supervisors to be carried out by the city:

Improvements which the Committee Recommends as Essential and Which Should be Carried Out Immediately, the City Paying the Expenses Thereof by Bonds, to be Repaid by Provision in the General Tax Levy.

(Designated on map in blue.)

1. Montgomery avenue to be extended at a width of 100 feet from its present northerly terminus, a distance of a little over one block northwesterly to the water front, and also to be extended at a width of 100 feet southeasterly from its present southerly terminus (at Washington street) to Market street (at Front street); and in connection with such extension and as a part thereof, Fremont street (which is in a direct line with Montgomery avenue as so extended) to be

widened from Market street southerly to the waters of the Bay from its present width of 82 feet 6 inches, to 100 feet and graded.

That along the present existing line of Montgomery avenue northwesterly from Washington street to Beach street the sidewalks on both sides of the street be reduced 5 feet, making the roadway wider by 10 feet; that the grades be ameliorated, especially from Pacific to Green street; this can be done without material expense and with no injury to adjoining property or streets.

That Montgomery avenue as extended and Fremont street as widened, constituting one great avenue, shall be hereafter known jointly as Fremont avenue (there being already some confusion on account of the similarity of the names of Montgomery street, New Montgomery street and Montgomery avenue).

2. That Pacific street be widened from its present width to a width of 100 feet from the Bay westerly to Van Ness avenue, and that it shall be known throughout its entire length as Pacific avenue. This street together with Montgomery avenue are so designated in order that they may serve both as important commercial avenues and as great fire barriers for the northern section of the city. We also recommend a change in the grade of Pacific avenue between Powell and Jones streets as indicated on accompanying map, which will also exhibit and outline all the recommendations set forth in this report.

3. That Commercial street from East street to Dupont be widened from its present width of 35 feet to 95 feet by taking 30 feet on each side. This will not only relieve the congestion and improve the business district, but will also serve as a great artery of circulation for what has been an important wholesale section, but has lost much of its desirability for traffic by reason of impassibility of its thoroughfares. This will leave the lots formerly fronting on Clay and Sacramento streets with a depth of 90 feet, to the avenue so created.

Your committee has determined to recommend Commercial street for widening, as the land fronting thereon can be acquired more reasonably and thereby the widening of Jackson, Washington, Clay and Sacramento

streets which otherwise would in any other rational scheme of city improvement require widening, will be rendered unnecessary.

4. That North Point street be graded and widened to 100 feet from Montgomery avenue and Leavenworth westerly to Van Ness avenue, and that Bay street be widened to same width from water front to Montgomery avenue.

5. That Powell street from Pacific street southerly to California street be modified slightly as to grade, and that it be widened to 100 feet, making it part of a great thoroughfare of equal width, which shall include Pacific avenue and Pine street.

6. That a new avenue 100 feet wide be created in the block heretofore occupied by the Hopkins and Stanford buildings, belonging to the University of California and Stanford University, from the southwest corner of Powell and California streets to the northeast corner of Pine and Mason streets.

7. That a new avenue 100 feet wide be created connecting by easy grade Stockton and Pine streets with Bush street and Grant avenue, running through the block bounded by Stockton, Dupont, Bush and Pine streets, and that Grant avenue be widened on its easterly side 30 feet from Bush street north to Montgomery avenue, and graded to a practicable grade from Bush street to Sacramento street.

8. That in order to secure practicable and economical access from the lowlands to the hill districts, and to open a very large and valuable section of the city to convenient access and to commercial, industrial and transportation activities, a new street or avenue 100 feet wide be created as indicated on the accompanying map, to commence at the intersection of Kearny and Commercial streets, thence running in a general northwesterly direction to Powell and Washington streets and thence northwesterly to Taylor and Pacific streets. This new street will afford direct and easy access from the northerly portion of the Western Addition as well as from the western part of the old fifty-vara section.

9. That Pine street be widened westerly from Stockton to Van Ness avenue to a width of 100 feet.

10. That Stockton street between California and Pine streets be graded

to a practicable level. That Sansome street be graded from Pacific street north to its northerly terminus, with a viaduct at the intersection of Broadway street so that the grade of the last named street shall not be interfered with. That the grades of Van Ness avenue between Turk and Eddy streets and of Golden Gate avenue from Taylor to Hyde street be also modified.

11. That Folsom street be widened to 125 feet from the Bay west to Seventh street; that Second street be graded from Howard street south; that the sidewalks of Third, Sixth and Ninth streets be reduced in width 4 feet on each side throughout their entire length.

12. That Van Ness avenue be extended south to the intersection of Twelfth and Mission streets.

13. That Sansome street be extended southerly at a width of 100 feet from Market street diagonally to Third and Folsom street.

14. That Seventh street be extended northerly from Market street to the junction of Golden Gate avenue and Leavenworth street, and that Golden Gate avenue be widened to 100 feet from Octavia street to Market street.

15. That a diagonal street be created running southeasterly from the intersection of Van Ness avenue and Market street to Folsom and Seventh streets.

16. That a diagonal street be created from the open semi-circular space at the Ferry (foot of Market street) southwesterly to Fremont and Folsom streets.

17. That the grades of Clay and Montgomery streets be raised about 8 feet and that all the streets bounded thereby be graded to conform, the purpose being to provide proper sewerage and drainage for this section of the city, which if omitted would cost enormous sums of money in the future as well as destroy all basements in that section. The debris in the city can now be used for this purpose, and it practically involves little cost to the city since the roadways are now destroyed.

18. Create semi-circular open space in front of the Ferry Depot at foot of Market street, as indicated on map.

II.

Improvements Which the Committee Recommends as Important and Desirable, which Should be Carried Out Immediately if Possible, but Which May be Deferred for Five Years, the City However Making Immediate Declaration of its Intention to Make Such Improvements and to Acquire the Necessary Lands Therefor.

(Designated on map in red.)

1. That Geary street be widened on the south side to 100 feet from Kearny street to Point Lobos avenue, and that it shall be called "Geary to the Sea".

2. That a new street 100 feet wide be created from Seventh and Folsom streets running diagonally southeasterly to the Pacific Mail dock.

3. That Eleventh street be extended and widened from Market to Bryant street.

4. That Potrero avenue be extended from Brannan and Tenth streets northerly to Seventh and Folsome streets and southerly across Precita Valley swamp to Army street.

5. That the grade of Market street be lowered from Valencia to Sixteenth street.

III.

Intention to be Declared Immediately by Board of Supervisors to do Certain Work and Payment Therefor to be Made From Taxes to be Raised After Ten Years, as Laid Down and Designated in Green on Accompanying Map, to Which Reference is Hereby Made for Further Specification.

IV.

Improvements to be Made Immediately, Property Owners to Contribute the Necessary Land Without Expense to the City.

(Designated on map in yellow).

1. Widen Montgomery street from Market street to Montgomery avenue, taking 20 feet on the west side; owners on east side paying one-half value thereof.

2. Widen Sutter street from Sansome to Mason street.

3. Widen Polk street from Market street to Pacific avenue.

4. Widen Powell street from California to Market street.

5. That Rincon Hill be graded to the level of adjoining property provided the property owners will do so without cost to the city. It is believed that the use of the material for the harbor and for railway fills will enable them to do it practically without cost to themselves, and the graded lots will be of greatly increased value.

Your committee has in many cases worked out sufficient of the detail to ascertain that the work is practicable and can be accomplished economically and within proper limits of local revenue production. In the case of recommendations embraced in Class III, the detail has not been completely worked out on account of the immense amount of labor necessarily incident to the calculations, and the inadequacy of time. In this last class some unimportant changes of detail may be required, but as a whole your committee confidently submits the foregoing plans as entirely rational, feasible and necessary, and urges that they be adopted, predicting that nothing will do more to inspire confidence and to increase values than favorable action upon and early execution of the recommendations submitted by this committee.

Respectfully,
HERBERT E. LAW,
A. RUEF, Chairman.

Considered read and ordered filed.

I approve of the foregoing except as to the classification, and as to said classification I would add Sixth and Taylor streets for widening to the third class. In the first class I would put only the subdivisions now there as follows: numbers one, four and eight.

San Francisco, Cal., May 21st, 1906.
W. H. METSON.

Introduction of Resolution.

Whereupon, Mr. Ruef presented and read the following Resolution which, on motion of Supervisor Gallagher, was considered under suspension of the rules.

Whereas, The Committee of Forty on Reconstruction of the City, appointed by his Honor the Mayor, for the purpose of recommending to this Board plans of reconstruction and restoration of the city devastated by our great conflagration, did this day unanimously adopt, endorse and transmit to this Board the report of its

sub-committee on "widening, extending and grading of streets and restoration of pavements," consisting of Herbert E. Law, F. H. Hilbert, W. H. Metson, Edwin Duryea, W. H. Hood, Virgil Bogue and A. Ruef; and

Whereas, In said report the improvements designed for the upbuilding and rehabilitation of the city are set forth in classes, with relation to the time of their execution; and

Whereas, This Board is of the opinion that no more important, urgent or necessary work now confronts the city than a determination of its street lines, extensions and grades, in order that building may progress and reconstruction be rapidly developed; and

Whereas, It is extremely important that the citizens and property owners of San Francisco be advised at the earliest possible moment of the ultimate determination of this Board with regard to such improvements and the impending probability of their early execution; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Board regards with favor the general plan of improvements recommended in said report; further

Resolved, That before proceeding with the execution of any of such improvements a report shall be presented to this Board, by competent authority, as to the estimated cost of each of said improvements; and that his Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to appoint a committee of three real estate experts who, with the City Engineer, shall report to this Board at the earliest practicable date their estimate of such cost, for the guidance of the Board in its future deliberations; further

Resolved, That it is the intention of this Board to proceed forthwith with the execution of the plans and improvements set forth in "Class 1," of said committee's recommendations so far as may be practicable and compatible with the city's financial conditions.

Motion.

Supervisor Gallagher moved the adoption of the Resolution.

Privilege of Floor.

Mr. D. H. Burnham was granted the privilege of the floor and stated in part that the recommendations made

by the Committee were absolute necessities and that the scheme for the beautification and adornment of the city would come later.

Edgar Painter addressed the Board on behalf of the property owners affected by the extension of Montgomery avenue to Market and Fremont streets, holding that the plan is impracticable, costly, ruinous to property values and of no particular benefit to the public.

Resolution Adopted.

Whereupon, the question being taken, said Resolution was adopted by unanimous vote as Resolution No. 42 (New Series).

**Relating to Chimney Inspection.
Passed for Printing.**

Under suspension of the rules, Supervisor Gallagher introduced Bill No.

13, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Prohibiting the use of chimneys until inspection thereof is made by the Board of Public Works; providing for such inspection and for the appointment by said Board, of chimney inspectors, and authorizing the issuance of certificates of inspection, fixing the amount of fees and providing for the payment thereof," the provisions of which differ from those of Ordinance No. 7 (New Series) in this, that an inspection fee of \$1.00 is charged for each chimney flue inspected, instead of each chimney, which was,

On his motion, passed for printing.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 5:10 o'clock, adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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MONDAY, MAY 28, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday,
May 28, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in
regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the follow-
ing Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boston, Coffey, Cole-
man, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher,
Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock,
McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea,
Walsh, Wilson—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor, Mayor Schmitz, being
temporarily absent, Supervisor Gal-
lagher was called to the chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of the meetings of
May 14 and 16, 1906, were read and
approved.

SPECIAL ORDER.

Consideration of Proposed Fire Limits.

The Special Order of Business,
fixed for this meeting, namely, con-
sideration of the matter of the exten-
sion of the Fire Limits, as expressed
in the proposed "New Building Law",
submitted by the Committee on Build-
ing Laws of the General Committee
of Forty, on Reconstruction of San
Francisco, appointed by Mayor E. E.
Schmitz, was proceeded with.

Motion.

Supervisor Boston moved that those
interested in the matter before the
Board be granted the privilege of the
floor.

So ordered.

Privilege of the Floor.

Garret McEnerney, Attorney, rep-
resenting P. W. Riordan, Roman Cath-
olic Archbishop of San Francisco and
the South of Market Street Property-

owners' Association, addressed the
Board, opposing the extension of the
Fire Limits, as proposed by the Com-
mittee. The gentleman stated that
the idea of the fire limits was that
if a wooden building was burned it
should be replaced by a fireproof
building, but that as conditions are
now entirely changed by reason of the
calamity, such a proposition would be
an onerous one to the small property-
owner. It would mean that the
householder cannot go back to the
place which was once his home. He
believed the present limits were too
extensive in area, but this condition
cannot be changed except by charter
amendment, inasmuch as the law pro-
vides that the fire limits cannot be
changed except by extension. If the
limits were extended it would be
equivalent to confiscation of property
of small holders, and in conclusion
the gentleman asked that no change
be made from the existing limits.

George D. Shadburne, Attorney,
representing property-owners west of
Stockton street and north of Bush
street, was heard objecting to the ex-
tension of the Fire Limits in that
direction.

John R. Bride, representing Larkin
and Polk street property-owners, op-
posed the extension of the Fire Lim-
its to include said streets.

Rev. Father Mulligan, pastor of St.
Joseph's Church, and Rev. Father
Rogers, pastor of St. Patrick's Church,
addressed the Board, objecting to the
extension of the fire limits south of
Market street, on the ground that it
would be practically confiscation of
the property of poor people.

Mayor in Chair.

At the hour of 3:30 o'clock, his
Honor the Mayor assumed the chair.

Discussion.

Question discussed by Supervisors Rea, Wilson and Gallagher and by the Chair.

Recommendation of Mayor.

Thereupon, his Honor the Mayor recommended to the Board that the present Fire Limits be retained, it being evident that this was not the time for a change.

Action Deferred Temporarily.

Thereupon, action on the matter was deferred until the presentation of the bill in the regular order of business.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Beautification and Adornment of San Francisco and Public Reception Committee.

Communications—From Jos. Scheerer, with expression of views regarding construction of "New San Francisco."

From Chester Bailey Fernald of Mill Valley, Cal., approving the course of the Board of Supervisors in advocating the improvement of the city from the standpoint of beauty and utilitarianism.

To the Finance Committee.

Petitions—Of A. S. Merceran, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$1.50, duplicate payment of wagon license tax.

Of Robert Guerin, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$3.00, alleged to have been paid in duplicate as license for carrying concealed weapon.

Communication—From Robert E. Cowan, offering to sell for the sum of \$150 a set of Municipal Reports of San Francisco from 1859-60 to 1897-8.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of E. G. Lyons and Raas Co., for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 70 horsepower in premises situate northerly side of Bryant street, between Second and Third streets, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Of Mutual Biscuit Company, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 25 horsepower, and to store and use crude oil in premises situate on southerly side of Stevenson street, between Brady and Crock-

er streets, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Of J. P. Lacaze, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 25 horsepower in premises No. 467 Duboce avenue, to be used for laundry purposes.

Of V. Sartori, for permission to erect and maintain a 4 horsepower boiler at premises No. 518½ Laguna street, the same to be used for heating water.

Of N. Delbanco, to eliminate Polk street from the proposed fire limits.

Communications—From Market Street and Eureka Valley Improvement Club, recommending that the work of chimney inspection be performed by members of the Fire Department and by the Building Inspectors of the Board of Public Works.

From Local San Francisco Party, submitting a series of recommendations relative to the construction, inspection and use of buildings in the City and County.

To the Joint Committee on Fire and Police.

Petition—Of D. H. Fogus and H. Springer, for permission to explode powder in work of tearing down walls and wrecking buildings.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of L. C. Levy, to abate a nuisance alleged to be maintained by the unsanitary condition of premises No. 1035 McAllister street.

Of McAvoy, O'Hara & Co., to conduct undertaking and embalming parlors at No. 2649 Market street.

To the License and Orders Committee.

Petitions—Of Robert Cranna, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$1.50, alleged to have been paid in duplicate for wagon license tax.

Of California Club, to increase the retail liquor license to \$1000 per annum, and to refuse licenses whenever another retail business is connected with a saloon.

Of San Francisco Epworth League Alliance, that the retail liquor license be fixed at \$1000 per annum, and that the combination of grocery and saloon be prohibited.

To the Joint Committee on License and Orders and Streets.

Communication—From the Comptroller of New York City, submitting data relative to charges of that city

for sub-sidewalk and area vault space.
To the Joint Committee on Licenses

Communication—From Electrical Contractors' Association, submitting for consideration an Ordinance imposing a license of \$100 a quarter on those engaged in the business of installing electrical wires and apparatus in buildings.

To the Police Committee.

Petition—Of S. Flynn, for refunding to him of \$2.50, paid the Poundkeeper for release of one dog, alleged to have been illegally impounded.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Communication—From C. E. Loss Company, stating that it is ready to furnish bond and to execute contract under proposal to construct the Geary Street Railroad, and if matter is to be postponed indefinitely, requesting return of check filed with bid.

Application—Of Henry C. Langrehr, C. E., for lease of the Geary Street Railroad, including the powerhouse, etc., for a term of 25 years, for the purpose of operating thereon a railway without the use of cable, steam or electricity, either overhead or underground, the road to revert to the City after a period of twenty-five years.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petitions—Of John Tuttle, for permission to explode blasts for grading purposes in Horner's Addition, blocks 238 and 239.

Of Healy, Tibbits Construction Company, for an extension of ninety days' time on contract for construction of Baker street sewer.

Of Rev. Frank Stone, Episcopal Chaplain, Seamen's Institute, for permission to erect a portable structure on East street, near Pacific street, the same to be used for religious purposes.

Of the Central Improvement Association, requesting that the grade of Market street, from Valencia street to Sanchez and Fifteenth streets, be lowered and made uniform.

Of Geo. Schneider and A. Landgrof, for permission to place a booth, 12 x 16 feet, on Market street, the same to be used as an eating place.

Of West of Castro Club, to amend the Ordinance granting the United Railroads permission to construct its cable lines into overhead trolley systems, by limiting the term to five years.

Of B. Schweitzer, to permit the United Railroads of San Francisco to operate their Larkin and Sutter street systems by means of overhead electric trolley.

Communication—From Estes Electrical Co., offering to furnish street signs to be placed upon trolley poles on Market street to Third street.

Application—Of Presidio and Ferries R. R. Co. to permit the operation of its street car lines by means of the overhead electric trolley system.

Proposition—Of S. P. Dunn of 1017 Twenty-fifth street, Los Angeles, California, offering a water supply to the City and County of San Francisco.

Communication—From John A. Benson, submitting offer to furnish San Francisco, without cost, a source of water supply in the Sierra Nevada Mountains.

File.

Resolutions—Of Property Owners' Association, opposing extension of the Fire Limits.

From Hon. Frank K. Mott, Mayor of Oakland, Cal., acknowledging receipt of Resolution thanking Oakland for assistance rendered during late calamity, and expressing his appreciation of the contents thereof.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the San Francisco Law Library, with estimated expenditures required for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1906, and ending June 30, 1907.

From the Recorder, submitting statement of business of said office for last five years, and requesting that immediate provision be made for the anticipated volume of work.

To the License and Orders Committee.

From the Board of Police Commissioners, stating that it is ready at any time to confer with the Board of Supervisors on the question of retail liquor licenses.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented Reports on various matters referred, which Reports were received, read and ordered placed on file, to wit:

Finance Committee, by Supervisor Gallagher.

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Duffey.

Hospital and Health Committee, by Supervisor Lonergan.

Printing and Salaries Committee, by Supervisor Coffey.

Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee, by Supervisor Rea.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following votes and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payment of March Water Service.

Resolution No. 43 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$5327.32 to be made out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1905-6 in payment to Spring Valley Water Company for water supplied for municipal purposes during the month of March, 1906, as per bill rendered, to wit:

Water for public buildings....\$1166.66

Water for fire hydrants 4160.66

Total\$5327.32

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Authorizing Payment of March Lighting Service.

Resolution No. 44 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$26,524.26, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company for lighting public buildings and streets during the month of March, 1906, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Authorizing Payment April Repairs to Streets.

Resolution No. 45 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2172.72, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the City Street Improvement Company for repairs on bituminous paved streets during the month of April, 1906, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey,

Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 46, (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$922.22, to be made out of the General Fund in payment of the City Street Improvement Company for repairs on bituminous paved streets during the month of April, 1906, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Spur Track, San Francisco Gas and Electric Co.

Bill No. 11, Ordinance No. 10 (New Series), entitled "Granting the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company permission to construct and maintain, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, a spur track over and along Townsend street, connecting its property on Clarence place and Townsend street with the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company on Second and Townsend streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Extensions of Time on Street Work.

Resolution No. 47 (New Series), Granting Flinn & Treacy an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after May 1, 1906, within which to complete their contracts to perform the following street work, to wit:

Construction of stone curbs and pavement on the crossing of Castro and Fifteenth streets.

Construction of stone curbs and pavements on Castro street, between Fifteenth and Henry streets.

Construction of stone curbs and pavement on Elizabeth street, between Noe and Castro streets.

Reconstruction of curbs and construction of basalt block and bituminous rock pavements on Pacific street, between Kearny and Stockton streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 48 (New Series), Granting the Pacific Coast Construc-

tion Company an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after May 16, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of the Sixth-street sewer.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 49 (New Series), Granting J. J. Dowling extensions of time to complete the following street work:

First—Ninety (90) days' time from and after May 10, 1906, within which to complete the contract to bituminize the crossing of Twenty-third and Sanchez streets.

Second—Ninety (90) days' time from and after June 22, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the improvement of the crossings of Ninth and Tenth avenues with J street.

Third—Ninety (90) days' time from and after May 15, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the improvement of Harrison street, between Fourth and Sixth streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 50' (New Series), Granting the Eureka Construction Company extensions of time to perform the following street work, to wit:

Ninety (90) days' time from and after May 1, 1906, within which to complete contracts for the construction of sewers, with appurtenances, in Ocean avenue, Onondaga avenue and San Jose avenue.

Also for the construction of sewers in Seventh avenue, between H and L streets.

Also ninety (90) days' time from and after May 1, 1906, within which to complete contract for the construction of sewers, with appurtenances, in California street, from the center line of Thirty-first avenue to Twenty-fourth avenue, and in Twenty-fourth avenue, from the center line of California street to a point five feet southerly from the northerly line of Lake street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mam-

lock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Acquisition Park Lands.

Resolution No. 51 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$9000, to be made out of the "Golden Gate Park and Presidio Extension Acquisition Account" of the Public Building Fund in payment to James D. Whitney as the purchase price of a subdivision of Outside Land Block No. 368, forming a part of the Park and Presidio Extension and more particularly described in Resolution No. 41 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Relating to Chimney Inspection.

Bill No. 13, Ordinance No. 11 (New Series), entitled, "Prohibiting the use of chimneys until inspection thereof is made by the Board of Public Works; providing for such inspection and for the appointment by said Board of chimney inspectors, and authorizing the issuance of certificates of inspection, fixing the amount of fees and providing for the payment thereof," the provisions of which differ from those of Ordinance No. 7 (New Series) in this, that an inspection fee of \$1.00 is charged for each chimney flue inspected, instead of each chimney.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$65,239.10, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 132 to 312, inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Gallagher, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said Demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey,

Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Fureyy, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment Repairs Boilers.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series, Authorizing an expenditure of \$1786.00, to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to P. F. Dundon for repairs to boilers at the City Hall, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment Fire Engine House.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$10,964.00, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Frank McSheehy for erecting a fire engine house at San Jose and Ocean avenues, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$7000.00, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the Barber Asphalt Paving Company for paving Mission street southerly from Porter avenue to the county line, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment Sewer Work.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4705.00, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the Eureka Construction Company for constructing sewer with appurtenances, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment Sweeping and Sprinklin Machines.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3075.00, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Gray Bros., for street sweeping and sprinkling machines, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2001.73, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the Barber Asphalt

Paving Company for paving Mission street from Porter avenue to the county line, as per contract and bill rendered.

Spur Track, Schlesinger and Bender.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 14, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting Schlesinger and Bender permission to construct and maintain, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, a spur track over and along Harrison street, connecting their property on the southeast corner of Mariposa and Harrison streets with the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company on Harrison street, between Mariposa and Santa Clara streets."

Full Acceptance Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 15, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the full acceptance of the roadway of Union street between Devisadero and Broderick streets, of Union street between Broderick and Baker streets, of Seventeenth street between San Bruno avenue and Kansas street, of the crossing of Union and Broderick streets, of the crossing of Union and Devisadero streets, of the crossing of Eureka and Nineteenth streets, and of the crossing of Filbert and Broderick streets."

Extensions of Time on Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Carl Martin an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after May 16th, 1906, within which to complete the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on Eighth avenue, between J and K streets.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Clark & Henry an extension of sixty (60) days' time from and after May 16th, 1906, within which to complete their contract for the paving of Van Ness avenue, between Fulton and McAllister streets and between Geary and Eddy streets.

Authorizing Payment Supplies.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1014.31, to be made out of the General Fund in payment of E. Convey & Sons for meat furnished the Almshouse, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment Maintenance Preston Inmates.

On motion of Supervisor Walsh:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$801.88, to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to the State of California for the maintenance of inmates of the Preston School of Industry for the month of April, 1906, as per bill rendered.

Authorizing Payments Fire Department Horses.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2502.00, to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to Jos. Levey for nine horses sold to the San Francisco Fire Department, as per contract and bill rendered.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3731.00, to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to Jos. Levey for thirteen horses sold to the San Francisco Fire Department, as per contract and bill rendered.

Boiler and Oil Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Mutual Biscuit Company permission to erect and maintain, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, a boiler of twenty-five (25) horsepower in premises situate on the southerly side of Stevenson street, between Brady and Crocker streets, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes; also to erect and maintain, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 2500 gallons in premises situate on the southerly side of Stevenson street, between Brady and Crocker streets, for the purpose of storing crude petroleum, and to use said crude petroleum as fuel under boilers erected and maintained on said premises.

Boiler Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Gorham Rubber Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 50 horsepower in premises situate southeast corner of Fremont and Mission streets, the same to be used in the process of manufacturing rubber goods.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Henry J. Schober permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 75 horsepower at premises situate on the northerly side of Bryant street, 25 feet easterly from Morris avenue, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting The Popular Soda Water Co., inc., permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of fifty (50) horsepower at premises situate at 51 Sharon street, the same to be used in the process of manufacturing soda water.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Undertakers' Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. 52 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following named be and they are hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to establish and maintain undertaking and embalming establishments at the locations hereinafter specified in accordance with their several petitions heretofore filed with the Board of Supervisors:

Joseph Hagan, located at No. 2530 California street.

McAvoy, O'Hara & Co., located at No. 3649 Market street.

Transfers to Firemen's Relief Fund.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. 53 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of eighteen hundred and fifty (\$1850.00) dollars be and the same is hereby transferred from the Surplus Fund of 1904-1905 to the Firemen's Relief Fund, to be used in the payment of pensions for the month of May, 1906.

Further Resolved, That the attention of the Auditor and Treasurer be and is hereby called to the provisions of this resolution.

Award, Delinquent Tax List 1905.

On motion of Supervisor Coffey: Resolution No. 54 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the contract for printing, publishing and distributing the Delinquent Tax List of 1905 be and the same is hereby awarded to

"Organized Labor Publishing Company", it being the lowest responsible bidder therefor, provided the sureties on its bond, which is hereby fixed in the penal sum of \$10,000, are satisfactory to his Honor, the Mayor, who is hereby authorized to enter into contract for said printing, publishing and distributing, at the following price, viz.:

For each delinquent assessment on the Real Estate and Secured Personal Property Roll, per name..4½ cents

For each delinquent assessment on the unsecured Personal Property Roll, per name.....4½ cents

For each delinquent assessment on the Poll Tax Assessment List, per name..4½ cents

Said printing, publishing and distributing of said Delinquent Tax List of 1905 shall be performed in accordance with the specifications bid upon hereof by said "Organized Labor Publishing Company", on date of April 16, 1906; shall be in conformity with the requirements of Sections 3764, 3765, 3766 and 3767 of the Political Code of the State of California; and shall be in every manner and respect similar to that of the printing, publication and distribution of the Delinquent Tax List of 1904.

Appropriation for Stationery Department.

On motion of Supervisor Coleman: Resolution No. 55, as follows:

Whereas, Owing to the confusion consequent to the destruction of all records and blanks of the various departments in the recent conflagration and the additional work in restoring the same devolving on the Stationery Department,

Resolved, That the Finance Committee be and they are hereby requested to set aside out of the Surplus Fund of 1904 and 1905 the sum or three hundred (\$300) dollars for additional assistance in the said department to cover the expense for the months of May and June, 1906.

Adopted.

Appointment of Light and Water Inspector.

The following Resolution was adopted as Resolution No. 56 (New Series):

Resolved, That the position of Gas and Water Inspector now and heretofore

held by O. M. Tupper be and the same is hereby declared vacant, and Stephen A. Byrne is hereby appointed such Gas and Water Inspector in his place, to take effect July 1, 1906.

S. F. Lithographers' Association Use Supervisors' Chambers.

On motion of Supervisor Coleman, the following Resolution was adopted, as Resolution No. 57 (New Series):

Resolved, That the use of the Chambers of the Board of Supervisors be and is hereby granted to the San Francisco Lithographers' Association, No. 17, for their meeting on Sunday, June 10th, 1906, at 11 o'clock a. m.

ROLL CALL FOR INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Passed for Printing.

Regulating Management of Restaurants and Places Where Food Is Dispensed.

Under suspension of the rules, Supervisor Lonergan introduced Bill No. 16, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Relating to and regulating the manner of maintaining, conducting, carrying on or managing restaurant places, kitchens, meat markets, fruit stores, vegetable stores, poultry stores, delicatessen stores, bakery stores, street vendor's stores within the City and County of San Francisco", which was

On his motion, passed for printing.

The Building Law.

The proposed Building Law of San Francisco, submitted by the Committee on Building Laws of General Committee of Forty on Reconstruction of San Francisco, appointed by Hon. E. E. Schmitz, Mayor of the City and County, was presented as

Bill No. 17, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the construction, erection, enlargement, raising, alteration, repair, removal and use of buildings, and repealing all Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance.

Amendment.

Supervisor Gallagher moved to amend the Bill by striking out all matter therein relative to the "Fire Limits" and incidental thereto, and by inserting in lieu thereof the present "Fire Limits", as fixed and estab-

lished by Ordinance No. 1198 of the Board of Supervisors, approved May 5, 1904.

So ordered.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, Bill No. 17, Ordinance No. — (New Series), as amended, was on motion of Supervisor Gallagher, passed for printing.

Announcement.

The Chair announced that the Board

would sit in Committee of Whole on Friday, June 1, 1906, at 10 a. m., to hear the public on "The Building Law."

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 4:15 o'clock, adjourned, to meet on Tuesday, May 29, 1906, at 2:30 p. m., to receive and consider the Finance Committee's report on the Budget of 1906-7.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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TUESDAY, MAY 29, 1906.

GENERAL FUND.

Tuesday, May 29, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment, for the purpose of receiving and considering the proposed Budget of Municipal Expenditures of the fiscal year 1906-1907, prepared by the Finance Committee.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh—13.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Boxton was called to the Chair.

PRESENTATION OF BUDGET.

Supervisor Gallagher, Chairman of the Finance Committee presented the following Budget:

BILL No. 18.

ORDINANCE No. — (New Series.)

An ordinance fixing and appropriating the aggregate sum and the items thereof allowed to each department, office, board and commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1907, and making a budget of the same.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. The aggregate sums and the items thereof hereinafter set forth are hereby fixed, designated and appropriated for the respective purposes set opposite the same to be expended during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1907, in accordance with the provisions of Article III, Chapter I of the Charter of the City and County, to wit:

Supervisors—

Salaries Supervisors, Clerk, Assistant Clerks, Clerk Stationery Department, Expert and Sergeant at Arms.....\$	44,340
Finance Committee, Board of Supervisors, for examining and supervising books, accounts and proceedings of public officers; also for examining books of persons and corporations having dealings with the City Government	7,500
For the rehabilitation of departments	105,000
For revising ordinances of the Board of Supervisors	5,000
Clerks Board of Equalization.	600
Advertising	25,000
Printing Law and Motion Calendar, Daily Trial Calendar of Superior Court, Decisions of Supreme Court, and Journal of Proceedings of the Board of Supervisors..	3,300
Interment of United States soldiers and sailors	3,500
Maintenance of Public Pound	6,000
Municipal reports	2,500
Stationery, books and printing	32,000
Stationery, books and printing for the Assessor	2,500
Purchase of typewriting machines	7,000
Furniture for public buildings	20,000
Expenses connected with the acquirement of public utilities	5,000
Expense investigating water supply	10,000
Celebration of the Fourth of July	2,500

Observance of Memorial Day	500	Expenses Assessor's field deputies	1,000
Grand Jury expenses	1,000	Coroner—	
Urgent necessities	36,000	Salaries Coroner, Autopsy Physician, deputies, stenographers and messenger	16,000
Water for municipal purposes—		Salaries additional employes allowed	2,520
Hydrants	36,000	Coroner's expenses	3,000
Public buildings, excepting schools	5,000	Recorder—	
Investigation and copying.	700	Salaries Recorder and deputies	8,400
Maintenance minors in Magdalen Asylum	7,000	Salaries of additional employes allowed and compensation of copyists	50,000
Maintenance minors in State schools	8,000	Tax Collector—	
Maintenance minors in non-sectarian institutions	10,000	Salaries Tax Collector, deputies and cashier	31,300
Maintenance minors in Juvenile Detention Station	4,500	Salaries Tax Collector's extra clerks	25,000
Maintenance feeble-minded children	20,000	Allowance for horses and buggies	240
Maintenance criminal insane.	1,000	Publishing Delinquent Tax List	2,500
Commissary Department—		Treasurer—	
Maintenance of the department and supplies for the City and County Hospital, Leper Hospital, Smallpox Hospitals, Jails and Prisons	121,290	Salaries Treasurer, deputies and clerk	11,200
Examination of insane persons	3,000	Salaries of additional clerks.	6,600
Installing Bureau of Accounts and general system of book-keeping	25,000	Judges of the Superior Court—	
Lighting streets and public buildings	225,000	Salaries of twelve Judges and secretary	27,800
Balance of purchase money due John W. Flinn et al. for lot purchased for the Fire Department for \$5000, per Resolution 6238	4,000	Stenographers of the Superior Court	18,000
Balance of purchase money due Pacific Improvement Co. for land purchased for widening Potrero avenue for \$4500, per Resolutions 6496 and 6647	3,500	Salaries court interpreters	6,000
Mayor—		City Attorney—	
Office salaries	11,100	Salaries City Attorney, assistants, clerks, stenographers and messenger	22,100
Contingent expenses	3,600	Expenses in defense of suit Spring Valley Water Works	5,000
Auditor—		District Attorney—	
Salaries Auditor, deputies, clerks and counsel fees	13,600	Salaries of District Attorney, assistants, clerks, stenographer and bond and warrant clerks	36,200
Salaries Auditor's five extra clerks, at \$1200	6,000	Salary of bookkeeper	1,200
Computing, extending, etc., the Assessment Roll	10,000	Salary of first assistant bond and warrant clerk	2,100
License tags, blanks and numbers	2,000	County Clerk—	
Assessor—		Salaries of County Clerk, cashier, clerks and copyists	75,400
Salaries Assessor, cashier, deputies and clerks	48,200	Salary of messenger	1,200
Salaries Assessor's extra clerks	30,000	Printing transcripts on appeal in criminal cases	2,500
		Jury and witness fees in criminal cases	18,000
		Jury expenses in criminal cases	500
		Justices' Court—	
		Salaries Justices, clerks and assistant	26,400

Law Library—

Salaries Librarian and messenger 3,480

Sheriff—

Salaries Sheriff, Undersheriff, attorney, bookkeepers, office deputies, bailiffs, superintendent Jails 2 and 3, guards Jails 2 and 3, matron, commissary, driver and bookkeeper, jails 68,600

Salaries four additional guards, at \$600 2,400

Sheriff's expenses, horse-keeping, shoeing, etc. 1,200

Police Department—

Salaries 800,000

Police contingent expenses.. 8,000

Rents police stations 3,090

Photographic supplies, laundry work and fuel 1,000

Maintenance police patrol and mounted police 20,000

Police Court—

Salaries four Judges and two stenographers 19,200

Salaries two additional stenographers 4,800

Health Department—

Salaries of the Health Department 54,000

Salaries attorney Health Department and Board of Works 3,900

Expenses supplies and transportation 6,000

Burial of the indigent dead.. 5,000

Emergency and Insane Detention Hospitals—

Salaries surgeons, stewards, nurses and drivers 37,320

Expenses and maintenance.. 10,240

Leprosy or Twenty-sixth Street Hospital—

Salaries 4,380

Expenses 2,000

Smallpox Hospital—

Salaries and Expenses 5,000

Almshouse—

Salaries 27,200

Expenses and maintenance.. 65,360

City and County Hospital—

Salaries, including nurses and chaplains 50,000

Department of Electricity—

Salaries, maintenance and operation 80,000

Fire Department—

Salaries, vacations, maintenance and apparatus 750,000

Department of Elections—

Salaries and expenses 70,000

Rent of and expenses on voting machines 7,000

Special elections 25,000

Civil Service Commission—

Salaries commissioners and examiner 6,000

Relief of Exempt Firemen.

..... 5,000

Geary Street Railroad—

For the construction of municipal street railway from Market street along Geary street to Point Lobos avenue, along Point Lobos avenue to Tenth avenue, thence along Tenth avenue to Fulton street 325,000

Board of Public Works—

Salaries, expenses and maintenance 621,650

Rents of Quarters for Public Officers

..... 150,000

Total of General Fund.. \$4,558,750

Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund 30,000

School Fund—

Salaries, maintenance, expenses and repairs 1,200,000

Library Fund—

Salaries and maintenance of Public Library, including purchase of books 48,750

Park Fund—

For maintenance, preservation and improvement of parks, squares, avenues and public grounds 227,500

Bond Redemption Funds.. 429,000

Bond Interest Funds 144,886

Interest Provided for Bonds to be sold 245,000

Total \$6,883,886

Appropriation to be used in case the collectible assessment roll for 1906-1907 exceeds three hundred and twenty-five millions (\$325,000,000) dollars, for rehabilitation of departments, additional \$150,000

Statement.

In presenting the Budget, Supervisor Gallagher stated that the Finance Committee has estimated that the Assessment Roll will be diminished by at least \$200,000,000. It should have been about \$525,000,000, but will not be over \$325,000,000. The tax rate has been fixed under the Charter within the dollar limit. Necessarily, with the reduced assessment roll the allowances

made for the various municipal departments have been reduced from what they would have been under happier circumstances. The income of the City and County under the new conditions has been reduced by about \$2,000,000. Of this amount \$1,000,000 be accounted for by proposed reductions in the running expenses of the City and County, and it is proposed that the remaining million will be made up from license charges, for which the Committee will look to the Board to make possible by the enactment of proper legislation.

It is expected for one thing that the retail liquor license will be increased to at least \$400 per year. This in itself will increase the revenue from this source by about \$600,000.

The Committee feels that if the Budget as presented is adopted that it will be an inducement to outside capital to invest in the City and thus establish a sure foundation for San Francisco.

Public Hearing.

Motion.

Supervisor Gallagher moved that Friday, June 1, 1906, at the hour of 2:30 p. m., be fixed as the time for the public hearing on the Budget required by the Charter.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh—13.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 4:40 o'clock, adjourned to meet on Friday, June 1, 1906, at the hour of 10 a. m.; to sit in Committee of the Whole for purpose of hearing persons interested in the proposed "Building Law"; and at the hour of 2:30 p. m., to conduct a public hearing on the Budget.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

FRIDAY, JUNE 1, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Friday, June 1, 1906, 10 a. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment, to sit in Committee of the Whole for the purpose of further considering "The Building Law", presented by the Subcommittee on Building Laws of the General Committee of Forty on Reconstruction of

San Francisco, appointed by his Honor the Mayor, and which "Building Law" was passed for printing on May 28, 1906.

Committee of Whole.

On motion, the Board resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, with Supervisor Gallagher in the Chair.

The Committee rose at 11:55 o'clock.

Report of Committee of Whole.

The Committee of the Whole, by Supervisor Gallagher, reported that it had duly considered "The Building Law", as requested by the Board of Supervisors, having obtained the testimony of Architect L. H. Mooser, Assistant Chief Engineer P. Shaughnessy, Thomas W. Butcher, representing the Builders' Exchange, Edward J. Brandon, representing the Journeymen Bricklayers, H. W. Potelwaite, President of Holmes Lime Company, and F. H. Porter, representing the Board of Underwriters of San Francisco, relative to various provisions of the proposed law, and recommended that Supervisors Duffy and Nicholas, Chairmen of the Fire and Public Buildings Committees of the Board, and Supervisor Coleman, Secretary of the Building Laws Committee, be appointed a Special Committee on Revision of "The Building Law", with instructions to report thereon to the Board of Supervisors on Monday, June 4, 1906.

Motion.

Supervisor Kelly moved the adoption of the Report.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, at the hour of 12 m. the Board adjourned to meet this, Friday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, to conduct the Public Hearing on the Budget.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

FRIDAY, JUNE 1, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Friday, June 1, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment, for the purpose of affording the taxpayers of the City and County a hearing on the proposed Budget of 1906-1907, as required by the Charter.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Loneragan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

PUBLIC HEARING.

The Public Hearing on the Budget of Municipal Expenditures was proceeded with.

Communications.

A Communication from the Sheriff, objecting to the reduced appropriation allowed his office for 1906-7 and requesting that the same be increased, was received, read and ordered filed.

A Communication from the Board of Public Works, requesting that an appropriation of \$1,452,980 be made that Department for the fiscal year 1906-7, was received, read and ordered filed.

Statement.

The Chair addressed the Board, explaining the reductions made in the Budget over that of the previous year and the necessity and reasons therefor due to the late calamity.

In concluding the Chair stated that any taxpayer or person desiring to be heard would be granted the privilege of the floor.

Privilege of Floor.

Thereupon, Thos. F. O'Neil, Sheriff, addressed the Board, stating that all his present force was necessary for the proper conduct of his office, and for the jails. He asked that an appropriation of \$82,400 be made for salaries as allowed by the Charter, and also that a separate appropriation of \$49,000 be made for maintenance of jails, instead of merging the maintenance appropriation of all departments into one.

Hearing Closed.

No other official or taxpayer desiring to be heard, the Public Hearing on the Budget was ordered closed.

"Budget" Passed for Printing.

Thereupon, Supervisor Boxton moved the passage for printing of Bill No. 18, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An ordinance fixing and appropriating the aggregate sum and the items thereof allowed to each department, office, board and commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1907, and making a budget of the same."

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Loneragan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 4 o'clock adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

MONDAY, JUNE 4, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, June 4, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors—Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Loneragan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being temporarily absent, Supervisors Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journal of the meeting of May 21, 1906, was read and approved, and the reading of the Journals of subsequent meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Light Committee.

Communication—From J. Illadik, calling attention to the fact that the arc lamp on Fell and Pierce streets is not lighted.

To the Electricity Committee.

Communication—From the Electric Workers, Local No. 151, commending the present Administration for its policy in permitting the use of the overhead trolley system in San Francisco.

Petitions—Of Louis J. Borie, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$13.15, duplicate payment of taxes on the R. E. Roll of 1905.

Of W. A. Larkins, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$6.62, dupli-

cate payment of taxes on the R. E. Roll of 1905.

To the Capital and Labor Committee.

Communication—From the Electrical Workers' Union No. 151, requesting that a Committee thereof be granted a hearing on a question of vital importance to organized labor.

To the Finance Committee.

Communication—From West of Castro Club, recommending that in view of the fact that the work of the City and County has greatly decreased, that but one-half the expenses of maintaining the several departments of the City and County Government be allowed in the Budget.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of Goldberg, Bowen & Co., for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of one horsepower, and a wagon repository, in premises situate on southerly side of California street, between Scott and Devisadero streets.

Of John Proll, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of eight horsepower, at premises situate on the easterly side of Eighth avenue, 225 feet northerly from J street.

Of J. E. Elkington, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of three horsepower at premises situate on Albion avenue between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, the same to be used for heating water in connection with engineering business.

Of Guggenlime & Co., for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 25 horsepower, and for permission to store and use crude oil at premises southeast corner of Davis and Sacramento streets.

Of Pierre Claverie and Martin Lapeyri, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 8 horsepower in premises No. 1469, Fifteenth street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Of A. J. Forbes & Son, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 16 horsepower in premises No. 1530 Filbert street, the same to be used in furniture factory.

Of Thomas Alexander, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 2 horsepower in premises No. 1065 Market street, the same to be used in hat factory.

Communications — From Louis Lame, and other property owners on Church street, consenting to the erection of an eight horsepower steam boiler at premises No. 420 Church street.

From Market Street and Eureka Valley Improvement Club, recommending that the chimney inspection ordinance be amended by providing that the work of inspection of chimneys be performed by building inspectors and firemen.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Protests—Of Louise C. Smith, against the establishment of a stable by Goldberg and Co., on California street between Devisadero and Scott streets, on the ground that the same will constitute a public nuisance.

Of C. J. Lawton, against the establishment of a stable on the north side of Fulton street, 82½ feet west of Gough street.

Communications—From W. P. Fuller & Co., requesting that careful consideration be given the question of compelling the use of coloring matter in wood alcohol sold in San Francisco.

From Berry Bros., calling attention to the fact that there is a State law requiring that wood alcohol be labeled "Poison, not to be taken internally," and that careful consideration be given before an Ordinance is passed compelling the coloring of said alcohol.

To the License and Orders Committee.

Communications—From the Clergy of the Episcopal Church of San Francisco, transmitting Resolutions adopted by them, urging that saloons be kept closed until January 1, 1907, and that the retail liquor license be increased to \$1000 per annum.

From the San Francisco Turn Verein, transmitting Resolutions adopted by that body protesting against the enactment of Sabbatarian regulations in the conduct of the retail liquor business.

From the West of Castro Club, recommending that the retail liquor license be fixed at \$250 a quarter and that the retail sale of liquors be restricted to saloons.

To the Police Committee.

Petitions—Of the Central Athletic Club, for permission to hold

an amateur boxing contest in the City and County of San Francisco, on the afternoon of July 4th, 1906.

Of H. M. Anthony, to lease from the City and County of San Francisco, certain lands on the southerly side of McAllister street, between Polk street and Van Ness avenue.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

Communication — From Jos. Scheerer, offering to furnish sufficient marble for the construction of school houses in the City and County of San Francisco.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Petition—Of Western Pacific Railway Company (a corporation), for a franchise for period of 46 years 6 months to construct, maintain and operate a railroad of standard gauge from a point on the water front of San Francisco southerly from Twenty-fifth street, running thence in a general northwesterly direction through a tunnel in the Potrero hills to proposed depot, sheds and yards to be constructed in 100 Vara Blocks Nos. 419 and 420, bounded by Eighth, Bryant, Ninth and Division streets.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petitions—Of Sutter Street Railroad Company, for permission to operate its railways in the City and County by electricity, by means of the so-called overhead trolley system, and erect the necessary poles and string the necessary wires and provide and use the proper and necessary means to that end.

Of Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe R. R. Co., for permission to construct, maintain and operate railway spur-tracks as follows:

Beginning at a point on the west side of Rhode Island street about one hundred and fifty (150) feet, more or less, north of the northwest corner of Sixteenth street and Rhode Island street; thence northerly across Rhode Island street and along the east side of Rhode Island street to the north line of Division street crossing Fifteenth street and Alameda street.

Also, beginning at a point in the last named line between Fifteenth street and Alameda street in Rhode Island street; thence on a curve to the left into Alameda street; thence along Alameda street to the east

line of Potrero avenue crossing Kansas, Vermont, Nebraska and Utah streets.

Also, beginning at a point near said first named point in the west line of Rhode Island street between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets; thence southerly along Rhode Island street to Mariposa street, crossing Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets.

Also, to construct, maintain and operate railway spur-track, beginning in the existing franchise track of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company in Fifteenth street at its intersection with the east line of Rhode Island street; thence along Fifteenth street to Utah street, crossing Rhode Island, Kansas, Vermont and Nebraska streets.

Of Del Monte Milling Company, for permission to lay and maintain a spur track on Lombard street connecting its premises on the northeast corner of Lombard and Montgomery with the Belt Railroad line.

To the Water Rates Committee.

Petition—Of Mrs. Goeppert, to compel the recapping of an artesian well at premises No. 2132 Green street.

To the Special Committee on Water Supply.

Communication—From Orrin I. Henderson, submitting an offer to furnish a water supply for San Francisco, from the Middle Fork and other tributaries of the American River in Placer and El Dorado counties.

To the Special Committee on Revision of Building Laws.

Communication—From Meyer & O'Brien, Architects, recommending amendment of the proposed "Building Law", so as to permit interior columns of Class "C" buildings to be placed 24 feet distant from walls, instead of 20 feet.

From Wm. F. Burbank, recommending that the height of buildings be restricted to twelve stories.

Accepted.

A Communication from the Associated Veterans of the Mexican War, inviting the members of the Board of Supervisors to attend the exercises to be held in Portsmouth Square on July 9, 1906, on the occasion of the 60th anniversary of the raising of the American flag in

San Francisco, was received and read, and the invitation contained therein accepted.

File.

The following Communications were received, read and placed on file.

From the San Francisco Labor Council, transmitting copy of Resolutions adopted by that body on May 25, 1906, disapproving of proposition to extend the fire limits, and of action permitting operation of the overhead trolley system.

From Popular Soda Water Co., in relation to permit for steam boiler at premises No. 51 Sharon street.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From Registrar of Voters, stating that verified copies of inventory, statement, and proof of loss, in matter of insurance in sum of \$50,000 on 69 voting machines stored in City Hall and destroyed by fire have been duly served upon the officers of the insurance companies issuing policies of insurance thereon.

From the Chief of Police, transmitting statement of current expenses for rental of Police Stations.

To the Joint Committee on Finance and Hospital and Health.

From the Coroner, with requisition for two horses needed in his department.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

From Board of Public Works, transmitting report of the City Engineer on the condition of the Sanitary Reduction Works.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

From the City Attorney, with requisition for certain office furniture.

From the Coroner, recommending the establishment of a permanent Morgue building, the present temporary affair being located upon the public streets and constituting a menace to the health of the neighborhood.

From the Board of Election Commissioners, recommending that immediate steps be taken to protect and repair the walls of the Depart-

ment warehouse at Eighteenth and Division streets.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Eureka street between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Eureka street between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Olive avenue between Van Ness avenue and Franklin street, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending that grades be changed and established at certain points and elevations on Market street between Twelfth and Waller streets, including the intersection of Market street with Haight street and Valencia street, and on Valencia street between Market street and Hermann street, and on Brady street between Market street and Stevenson street.

Also, recommending that the width of sidewalks on Polk street between Post street and East street north, be established at twelve feet and the width of sidewalks on Ellis street between Market street and Van Ness avenue be established at twelve feet.

Also, recommending that Thos. Clarke be granted an extension of 60 days' time from and after June 11, 1906, within which to complete contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on Hayes street between Devisadero and Broderick streets.

Also, recommending that the City Street Improvement Company be granted an extension of 60 days' time from and after May 23, 1906, within which to complete contract for construction of pavement on Sixteenth street between Market and Castro streets.

Also, recommending that Carl Martin be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after May 31, 1906, within which to complete contract for construction of sewer in Noe street between Thirtieth and Day streets.

Also, recommending that C. S. Harney be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after May

31, 1906, within which to complete contract for street work on H street from Twentieth to Twenty-eighth avenues.

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Also recommending that C. S. Harney be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after May 23, 1906, within which to complete contract for repaving of Fourth street between Howard and Freelon streets.

Also, recommending that Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co. be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after May 31, 1906, within which to complete contract for construction of bridge at San Jose and Mt Vernon avenues.

Also, recommending that Healy-Tibbitts Construction Co. be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after May 28, 1906, within which to complete contract for construction of sewer with appurtenances in Baker and adjacent streets.

File.

The following matters were received, read and ordered placed on file:

From the Grand Jury, transmitting copy of Resolution adopted by that body, commending action of the Board of Supervisors in adhering to the dollar limit of taxation.

From the Recorder, transmitting copy of Communication addressed him by the Title Insurance and Guaranty Co., extending to him full and free access to their records.

Mayor in Chair.

At the hour of 3:15 o'clock, his Honor the Mayor assumed the Chair.

RE-PASSAGE OF MATTERS PASSED ON LEGAL HOLIDAYS.

Motion.

Supervisor Gallagher moved that the Order of Business be suspended to permit the introduction and re-passage of Bills and Resolutions, heretofore passed on legal holidays.

So ordered.

Re-Passage.

Whereupon, on motion of Supervisor Gallagher, the following Resolutions were adopted or passed for printing, to wit:

Adopted.

Selecting Supervisors' Chambers.

Resolution No. 58 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the building generally known as "Mowry's Hall," or the "Gantner and Mattern building," corner of Laguna and Grove streets, in the City and County of San Francisco, be the official Chambers and Clerk's office of the Board of Supervisors of this City and County for the time being, and until such further action by this Board.

Leasing Municipal Quarters.

Resolution No. 59 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the action of the Finance and Public Buildings Committees in leasing from month to month the premises known as "Mowry's Hall," as the seat of the municipal government of San Francisco, at a rental of \$500 per month be and the same is hereby approved.

The portion of said hall so leased consists of that heretofore used by the Hayes Valley Athletic Club, and wherein are now quartered the Board of Supervisors, the Clerk's office of the Board of Supervisors, the Board of Election Commissioners, the Civil Service Commissioners, the Coroner's Department, and one room on the upper floor.

Estray Horses to Be Returned to

Woodlawn Stables.

Resolution No. 60 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That all persons having in their possession horses and buggies or vehicles of any description not belonging to them, must deliver the same within forty-eight (48) hours from this notice to the Woodlawn Stables, Wm. J. Gallagher, proprietor, situate on Grove street, between Laguna and Buchanan streets, in this City and County; otherwise they will be prosecuted under the laws governing the matter.

Appointing James A. Devoto Special Counsel for Board of Public Works and for Board of Health.

Resolution No. 61 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That James A. Devoto, attorney at law, be and he is hereby appointed as special counsel for the Department of Public Works and Public Health, and to receive compensation for all legal services rendered in the sum of two hundred

and fifty (\$250.00) dollar per month.

Business Structures to Be Removed From Public Property.

Resolution No. 62 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby instructed to remove, or cause to be removed, all buildings and structures maintained for profit and private gain on public property excepting those authorized by proper authority, and that the Board of Park Commissioners be and they are hereby requested to remove, or cause to be removed, from the public parks or squares all buildings or structures maintained for profit or private gain thereof, excepting those authorized by proper authority.

Permits for Undertaking Permits.

Resolution No. 63 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following named be and they are hereby granted permission during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to establish, maintain or operate undertaking and embalming establishments at the locations hereinafter specified, in accordance with their several petitions heretofore filed with the Board of Supervisors, to wit:

Gantner Bros., located on north-
erly side of Sixteenth street.

Halsted & Co., located at 924 Fill-
more street.

Porter & White, located at 1531
Golden Gate avenue.

Craig & Cochran, located on Val-
encia street.

H. F. Suhr Company, located at
No. 2919 Mission street.

Theodor Dierks, located at No.
900 Devisadero street.

Hermann, Metzler & Co., located
at No. 840 Fourteenth street.

Monahan & Co., located at No.
1311 Guerrero street.

Bunker & Lunt, located at No.
2666 Mission street.

McFadden, McBrearty & Green,
located at No. 1070 Haight street.

A. W. Martin & Co., located at
No. 1868 Geary street.

California Undertaking Company,
located at No. 2210 Steiner street.

N. Gray & Co., located at No. 2198
Geary street.

J. C. O'Connor & Co., located at
No. 1062 Fulton street.

Carew & English, located at 1618
Geary street.

Henry J. Gallagher Undertaking
Company, located at 1314 Webster
street.

Joseph Hagan, located at No. 2530
California street.

McAvoy, O'Hara & Co., located at
No. 2649 Market street.

H. F. Maass Company, located at
No. 1335 Golden Gate avenue.

Sewer for Emergency Hospital, Jef- ferson Square.

Resolution No. 64 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Pub-
lic Works be and is hereby author-
ized to expend the sum of sixty
(\$60) dollars for the purpose of
constructing a sewer to connect the
main sewer with the Emergency
Hospital, located at Jefferson
Square, the said expenditure to be
paid out of the surplus fund of the
fiscal year 1904-1905.

Leasing Western National Bank Vaults as Depository for Treas- urer.

Resolution No. 65 (New Series),
as follows:

Whereas, Owing to the disastrous
fire, following the earthquake of
April 18th, 1906, the office of the
Treasurer of the City and County
of San Francisco was totally de-
stroyed and rendered unfit for fur-
ther use; and

Whereas, The Western National
Bank, located in the James Flood
Building, through civic pride has
offered gratuitously to the Treasurer
of this City and County, office room
for the use of his clerical staff;
therefore

Resolved, That this Board hereby
expresses its deep appreciation and
thanks to the Western National
Bank for the kindness and generos-
ity; and be it further

Resolved, That the Treasurer is
hereby authorized and empowered
to accept the offer of the Western
National Bank; further

Resolved, That the Treasurer be
and is hereby authorized and em-
powered to rent a steel vault from
the Western National Bank as good,
and equally as large, as the old vault
in the City Hall for the accommoda-
tion of the city's coin, records,
bonds, etc., for a period of one (1)
year at a monthly rental of three
hundred (\$300.00) dollars.

Inviting Submission of Offers to Furnish a Water Supply to San Francisco.

Resolution No. 66 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, Pursuant to resolution No. 7130 of this Board, approved March 12, 1906, several offers from persons, companies or corporations having or controlling sources of pure, fresh water adequate for the city's needs and purposes, and which they were willing to transfer to the City and County of San Francisco, were filed with the Board of Supervisors on April 9, 1906; and

Whereas, Said offers so filed were destroyed with other records of the Supervisors by the fire following the earthquake of April 18, 1906; now, therefore,

Resolved, That each and all the said persons, companies and corporations be and they are hereby requested to renew and resubmit to the Board of Supervisors, on or before Monday, May 21, 1906, their respective offers heretofore filed and destroyed, and all other persons, companies or corporations having or controlling sources of water supply are hereby requested to present and submit to this Board for its consideration their respective propositions for furnishing the city an adequate supply of pure fresh water, giving a complete outline of their source of supply and of the title thereof, and the price for which the same will be furnished to the city. No supply will be considered which will not be capable of furnishing to the City and County an immediate daily supply of not less than 60,000,000 gallons per day and an absolute guarantee of a future possible development of not less than 200,000,000 gallons per day as the population of the city shall increase.

The propositions so to be resubmitted and submitted are to be considered by this Board, but the Board does not commit itself to the acquisition of any one of them, unless the same shall be in all respects adequate and satisfactory both as to the quality and quantity of the supply and its ultimate cost to the city.

Permitting Ocean Shore Railroad Company to Use Timber Subways and to Cross Onondaga Avenue at Grade.

Resolution No. 67 (New Series), as follows:

Be it resolved by the Board of Supervisors that in order to facilitate the construction by the Ocean Shore Railway Company of its railroad within the City and County of San Francisco, permitted by the provisions of an ordinance entitled "Ordinance No. 1623, providing for a grant to the Ocean Shore Railway Company, a railway corporation, of a right of way for, and the right to construct, maintain and operate a railroad, together with all necessary branches, side-tracks, turnouts, switches, crossings, spur tracks, yard tracks, depot tracks and terminal tracks, and facilities along, over, under, across and upon certain streets, avenues, alleys, places and properties in the City and County of San Francisco," approved October 5th, 1905, the said Ocean Shore Railway Company may construct temporary timber subways where the said railroad crosses under Mission street at its intersection with Canal street; also under Sickles avenue at its intersection with De Wolf street; also under San Jose avenue at its intersection with Regent street; also under Liebeg street, Palmetto avenue, Fifteenth avenue, South and Dickenson streets. Said temporary timber subways, or any of them shall be replaced at any time hereafter by said Ocean Shore Railway Company upon six months' notice from the City and County of San Francisco, and when so replaced they shall be constructed as in said ordinance provided. And said Ocean Shore Railway Company may also construct its said railroad across Ocean and Onondaga avenues at grade.

Refunding Poundkeeper's Fees.

Resolution No. 68 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Auditor and the Treasurer be and they are hereby directed to respectively audit and pay out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1905-1906 to Ben Levy, of No. 625 Laguna street, San Francisco, the sum of two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50), said sum representing moneys exacted by the Poundkeeper for the release of one dog illegally impounded.

This refund is authorized under and pursuant to the provisions of Section 13 of Ordinance No. 115, of the Board of Supervisors.

Clerk Advertise Proposals for Supplies.

Resolution No. 69 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved; That the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors be and he is hereby directed to advertise a notice inviting proposals for furnishing and supplying all necessary printing, books, stationery, subsistence and maintenance supplies for use of the various offices, departments, commissions and public institutions of the municipality for the ensuing fiscal year, commencing July 1, 1906, and ending June 30, 1907.

Acquisition of Park Extension Lands. Resolution No. 70 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The City Attorney, pursuant to Resolution No. 5360, of the Board of Supervisors, approved December 19, 1904, has transmitted to this office the offer of James D. Whitney to convey to the City and County of San Francisco, for the sum of nine thousand (\$9000.00) dollars, a good and sufficient fee, simple, title to that portion of Outside Land Block No. 368, particularly, described, as follows, to wit:

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of C street with the easterly line of Fourteenth avenue; running thence northerly and along the easterly line of Fourteenth avenue two hundred and seventy-seven (277) feet; thence at a right angle easterly one hundred and fourteen (114) feet; thence at a right angle southerly one hundred and seventy-seven (177) feet; thence at right angles westerly twenty-five (25) feet; thence at a right angle southerly one hundred (100) feet to the northerly line of C street; thence at a right angle westerly and along the northerly line of C street eighty-nine (89) feet to the easterly line of Fourteenth avenue and the point of commencement; being a part of Outside Land Block No. 368, as laid down and designated upon the official map of the City and County of San Francisco on file in the office of the Recorder of said City and County of San Francisco; and

Whereas, said land above described has been set apart with the remainder of said Outside Land Block No. 368, for park purposes under the provisions of Ordinance No. 704; therefore

Resolved, That the said offer of

James D. Whitney to convey to the City and County of San Francisco a good and sufficient fee simple title to the land above described for the sum of nine thousand (\$9000.00) dollars, be and the same is hereby accepted by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, and the City Attorney is hereby directed to cause a good and sufficient deed to the land above described to be executed and delivered to the City and County of San Francisco, payment of the purchase of nine thousand (\$9000.00) dollars, as aforesaid, to be made to said James D. Whitney upon the final approval by the City Attorney of the title to the land above described and upon the execution and delivery to the City and County of a good and sufficient deed, as aforesaid.

Passed for Printing.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of nine thousand (\$9000.00) dollars be, and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the "Golden Gate Park and Presidio Extension Acquisition Account" of the Public Building Fund in payment to James D. Whitney as the purchase price of a subdivision of Outside Land Block No. 363, forming a part of the Park and Presidio Extension, and more particularly described in Resolution No. 41 (New Series), of the Board of Supervisors.

Adopted.

Adopting Plan for Widening, Extending and Grading of Streets.

Resolution No. 71 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The Committee of Forty on Reconstruction of the City, appointed by his Honor, the Mayor, for the purpose of recommending to this Board plans for reconstruction and restoration of the city devastated by our great conflagration did this day unanimously adopt, endorse and transmit to this Board the report of its sub-committee on "widening, extending and grading of streets and restoration of pavements," consisting of Herbert E. Law, F. H. Hilbert, W. H. Metson, Edwin Duryea, W. H. Wood, Virgil Bogue and A. Ruef; and

Whereas, In said report the improvements designed for the upbuilding and rehabilitating of the city are set forth in classes, with relation to their time of their execution; and

Whereas, This Board is of the opin-

ion that no more important, urgent or necessary work now confronts the city than a determination of its street lines, extensions and grades, in order that building may progress and reconstruction be rapidly developed; and

Whereas, It is extremely important that the citizens and property owners of San Francisco be advised at the earliest possible moment of the ultimate determination of this Board with regard to such improvements and the impending probability of their early execution; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Board regards with favor the general plan of improvements recommended in said report; further

Resolved, That before proceeding with the execution of any of such improvements a report shall be presented to this Board, by competent authority, as to the estimated cost of each of said improvements; and that his Honor, the Mayor, be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to appoint a committee of three real estate experts who, with the City Engineer, shall report to this Board at the earliest practicable date their estimate of such cost, for the guidance of the Board in its future deliberations; further

Resolved, That it is the intention of this Board to proceed forthwith with the execution of the plans and improvements set forth in "Class 1," of said committee's recommendations so far as may be practicable and compatible with the city's financial condition.

Extensions of Time, Street Work.

Resolution No. 72 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Flinn & Treacy be and they are hereby granted an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after May 1, 1906, within which to complete their contracts to perform the following street work, to wit:

Construction of stone curbs and pavement on the crossing of Castro and Fifteenth streets.

Construction of stone curbs and pavements on Castro street, between Fifteenth and Henry streets.

Construction of stone curbs and pavement on Elizabeth street, between Noe and Castro streets.

Reconstruction of curbs and construction of basalt blocks and bituminous rock pavements on Pacific street, between Kearny and Stockton streets.

Resolution No. 73 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Pacific Coast Construction Company be and is hereby granted an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after May 16, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of the Sixth-street sewer.

Resolution No. 74 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That J. J. Dowling be and is hereby granted extensions of time to complete the following street work:

First—Ninety (90) days' time from and after May 10, 1906, within which to complete the contract to bituminize the crossing of Twenty-third and Sanchez streets.

Second—Ninety (90) days' time from and after June 22, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the improvement of the crossings of Ninth and Tenth avenues with J street.

Third—Ninety (90) days' time from and after May 15, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the improvement of Harrison street, between Fourth and Sixth streets.

Transfer to Firemen's Relief Fund.

Resolution No. 75 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of eight hundred and fifty (\$1,850.00) dollars be and the same is hereby transferred from the Surplus Fund of 1904-1905 to the Firemen's Relief Fund, to be used in the payment of pensions for the month of May, 1906.

Further Resolved, That the attention of the Auditor and the Treasurer be and is hereby called to the provisions of this resolution.

Award Delinquent Tax List, 1905.

Resolution No. 76 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the contract for printing, publishing and distributing the Delinquent Tax List of 1905, be and the same is hereby awarded to "Organized Labor Publishing Company," it being the lowest responsible bidder therefor, provided the sureties on its bond, which is hereby fixed in the penal sum of \$10,000 are satisfactory to his Honor, the Mayor, who is hereby authorized to enter into contract for said printing, publishing and dis-

tributing at the following prices,
viz:

For each delinquent assessment on the Real Estate and Secured Personal Property roll, per name 4 7-8 cents
For each delinquent assessment on the Unsecured Personal Property Roll, per name... 4 7-8 cents
For each delinquent assessment on the Poll Tax Assessment List, per name 4 7-8 cents

Said printing, publishing and distributing of said Delinquent Tax List of 1905, shall be performed in accordance with the specifications bid upon therefor by said "Organized Labor Publishing Company," on date of April 16, 1906; shall be in conformity with the requirements of Sections 3764, 3765, 3766 and 3767 of the Political Code of the State of California; and shall be in every manner and respect similar to that of the printing, publication and distribution of the Delinquent Tax List of 1904.

Appropriation for Stationery Department.

Resolution No. 77 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, Owing to the confusion consequent to the destruction of all records and blanks of the various departments in the recent conflagration and the additional work in restoring the same devolving on the Stationery Department.

Resolved, That the Finance Committee be and they are hereby requested to set aside out of the Surplus Fund of 1904 and 1905 the sum of three hundred (\$300) dollars for additional assistance in the said department to cover the expense for the months of May and June, 1906.

Appointment of Light and Water Inspector.

Resolution No. 78 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the position of Gas and Water Inspector now and heretofore held by O. M. Tupper be and the same is hereby declared vacant, and Stephen A. Byrne is hereby appointed such Gas and Water Inspector in his place, to take effect July 1, 1906.

PASSED FOR PRINTING.

Authorizing Payment of March Water Service.

Resolution No. — (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$5327.32, to be made out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1905-6 in payment to Spring Valley Water Company for water supplied for municipal purposes during the month of March, 1906, as per bill rendered, to wit:

Water for public buildings \$1166.66
Water for fire hydrants... 4160.66

Total \$5327.32

Authorizing Payment of March Lighting Service.

Resolution No. — (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$26,524.26, to be made of the General Fund in payment to the San Francisco Gas and Electric Light Company for lighting public buildings and streets during the month of March, 1906, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payments April Repairs to Streets.

Resolution No. — (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$2172.72, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the City Street Improvement Company for repairs on bituminous paved streets during the month of April, 1906, as per contract and bill rendered.

Resolution No. — (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$922.22, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the City Street Improvement Company for repairs on bituminous paved streets during the month of April, 1906, as per contract and bill rendered.

Relating to Undertaking and Embalming Establishments.

Bill No. 19, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled,

"Prohibiting the establishment and maintenance of undertaking or embalming establishments, without first obtaining a permit therefor from the Board of Supervisors."

Relating to Chimney Inspection.

Bill No. 20, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled,

"Prohibiting the use of chimneys until inspection thereof is made by the Board of Public Works; providing for such inspection and for the appointment of chimney inspec-

tors by said Board, and authorizing the issuance of certificates of inspection, fixing the amount of fees and providing for the payment thereof."

Temporary Suspension Public Pound Regulations.

Bill No. 21, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled:

"Providing for the suspension for a period of ninety (90) days of the enforcement of Ordinance No. 115, entitled 'An Ordinance to Provide a Public Pound and to Make Necessary Rules and Regulations in the Matter of Animals Running at Large, and for the Custody and Destruction of the Same,' (approved July 17, 1900), and all amendatory ordinances thereof, except as to the provisions of said ordinance relative to dogs running at large."

Spur Track, San Francisco Gas and Electric Company.

Bill No. 22, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled:

"Granting the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company permission to construct and maintain during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, a spur track over and along Townsend street, connecting its property on Clarence place and Townsend street with the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company on Second and Townsend streets."

Permitting United Railroads of San Francisco to Operate Overhead Trolley System on Cable Lines.

Bill No. 23, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled:

"An ordinance authorizing and directing the United Railroads of San Francisco to operate all of their several cable railway lines, so far as grades will permit, by electricity, by means of the so-called overhead trolley system."

Relating to Award of Franchise of Home Telephone Company of San Francisco.

Approval of Bond.

Supervisor Gallagher moved the adoption of the following Resolution.

Resolved, That the bond filed on the 25th day of April, 1906, by the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco in the penal sum of \$250,000, with the Aetna Indemnity Company as surety thereon, be and the same is approved.

Motion carried by the following vote, and said Resolution numbered Resolution No. 79 (New Series):

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Phillips, Wilson—11.

Noes—Supervisors Boxton, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—6.

Absent—Supervisor Mamlock—1.

Ratifying and Confirming Proceedings Awarding Franchise.

Supervisor Gallagher moved the adoption of the following Resolution:

Resolved, That the award made on the 23d day of April, 1906, to the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco of a franchise to construct, maintain and operate a telephone system in the City and County of San Francisco, and the approval of the bond filed by said Home Telephone Company of San Francisco on the 25th day of April, 1906, be and the same hereby are ratified and confirmed, and said franchise is hereby struck off, sold and awarded to said Home Telephone Company of San Francisco.

Motion carried by the following vote and said Resolution numbered Resolution No. 80 (New Series):

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Phillips, Wilson—11.

Noes—Supervisors Boxton, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—6.

Absent—Supervisor Mamlock—1.

RELATING TO AN AUXILIARY SALT WATER SYSTEM.

Motion.

Supervisor Gallagher moved that a committee of business men from the burnt districts, interested in the construction of an auxiliary salt water system be granted the privilege of the floor.

So ordered.

Privilege of Floor.

Thereupon, B. H. Lichenstein, spokesman of said committee, addressed the Board stating that many property owners in the downtown district were ready and willing to rebuild provided protection against fire was assured. The insurance companies had increased the rates of insurance to such a figure that building was practically prohibited. This condition can be remedied by the establishment of a system of salt water cisterns. In conclusion the gentlemen requested

that immediate attention be given the matter.

Reference.

Whereupon the question was ordered referred to the Fire Committee.

Reports of Committees.

The Finance Committee by Supervisor Gallagher presented a report, which was received, read and ordered placed on file.

The Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee by Supervisor Rea presented a report, which was received, read and ordered placed on file.

The Special Committee on Revision of Building Laws by Supervisor Coleman reported progress and stated that the task of preparing "The Building Law" in proper form would be completed and the said law in readiness for the next regular meeting of the Board.

Presentation of Bills and Accounts.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$11,616.74, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 322 to 400, inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffy, Furey, Harri-gan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

New Business.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were-passed for printing:

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), granting Guggenheim & Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler, not to exceed twenty-five horse power, on premises situate at the southeast corner of Davis and Sacramento streets, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), granting Goldberg, Bowen & Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of one horse power and a wagon repository in premises situate on the south side of California street, between Scott and Devisadero streets.

Adopted.

Authorizing Payment Services Coroner's Extra Clerk.

Supervisor Gallagher introduced Resolution No. — (New Series), appropriating the sum of \$200, out of the Surplus Fund of 1904-1905, in payment to Arthur Newton, for services as extra clerk for the Coroner during the months of May and June, 1906, which was,

On his motion adopted, and numbered Resolution No. 81 (New Series).
Roll Call for Introduction of Resolutions, Bills and Motions Not Considered or Reported Upon by a Committee.

Adopted.

Supervisor Rea introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration:

So ordered.

Respect to Memory of Samuel Brauhnart.

Whereas, The Board of Supervisors learns with profound regret of the death in this city on May 28, 1906, of a former member of this Board, the Honorable Samuel Brauhnart; and

Whereas, the deceased served the people of the City of San Francisco and the State of California with fidelity and zeal, as a member of the State Legislature during the Twenty-third Session, and as a State Senator during the Thirty-second and Thirty-third Sessions, and thereafter as a member of the Board of Supervisors of this city and county from June 1900, until January, 1906, and, as chairman of the Committee on Public Utilities of this Board was largely instrumental in the successful formulation of the plan by which bonds of the city and county were issued to the amount of over \$17,000,000 for various public improvements; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, that we hereby express our deep regret and profound sorrow for the loss of our devoted friend of San Francisco, and a citizen of the State

whose public spirit was worthy of emulation; also

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns it does so in respect to the memory of Samuel Brauhart, deceased.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Rea, and numbered Resolution No. 82 (New Series).

Relating to Sanitary Reduction Works.

Supervisor Wilson called attention to the fact that the Sanitary Reduction Works had failed and was failing to incinerate garbage as required by its franchise, and that in consequence the City and County was put to great expense in hauling garbage to barges to be towed to the ocean and the refuse dumped.

Referred to Hospital and Health Committee.

Passed for Printing.

Supervisor Wilson introduced the following entitled Bill and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration:

So ordered.

Providing for Abatement of Nuisances.

Bill No. 24, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled "Defining what is a nuisance and empowering the Board of Health of the City and County of San Francisco to abate and summarily destroy said nuisance."

Passed for printing, on motion of Supervisor Wilson.

Relating to State Building in San Francisco.

The Chair announced that when the Board adjourned it would do so to meet for the purpose of considering the question of granting or leasing land to the State of California for the purpose of constructing thereon a State building, which matter was now before the Legislature.

Relating to Application of Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company for Permit to Electrify Street Car Lines.

Motion.

Supervisor Furey moved that the matter of the application of the Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company to permit the use of the overhead electric trolley on its railroad system be considered by the Board sitting in Committee of the Whole on Friday, June 8, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

So ordered.

Adjournment.

Whereupon, at the hour of 4 o'clock, the Board adjourned to meet Tuesday, June 5, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

TUESDAY, JUNE 5, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Tuesday, June 5, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment for the purpose of considering the question of providing land in San Francisco for the construction thereon of a State Building, and for the transaction of regular business.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Quorum present.

His Honor, Mayor Schmitz, being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Reading of the Journals of previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

SITE FOR STATE BUILDING IN SAN FRANCISCO.

Statement.

The Chair stated that the Legislature of the State of California had under consideration a proposition to appropriate moneys for the construction of a State Building in San Francisco, and that in connection therewith it had been suggested by members of the Legislature that the City and County either donate or lease sufficient land to the State for the erection thereon of said Building. The Humboldt School site on the northerly side of Golden Gate avenue, between Leavenworth and Hyde streets, was mentioned as being available. Inasmuch as the Legislature is now in session, action must be taken at once if the Board favored the proposition.

Under the law there is no power in the Board of Supervisors to sell or alienate the lands of the City and County, but the Charter provides that whenever school lands are not required for school purposes, the Board of Education may lease the

same for a period not exceeding twenty (20) years, after advertising a proposal to lease, which lease if made, must receive the sanction of the Board of Supervisors.

The Chair further stated that from conversation with members of the Legislature, having the question under consideration, he had learned that if the City and County would furnish the site, they would recommend that the sum of three hundred or four hundred thousand dollars be appropriated for the construction of a building.

Resolution Adopted.

Thereupon, on motion of Supervisor Wilson, the following resolution was adopted and numbered Resolution No. 83 (New Series):

Whereas, The Legislature of the State of California has now under consideration the question of appropriating moneys for the construction of a State Building in San Francisco; and

Whereas, The erection of such a building in this City and County will be of decided advantage to San Francisco, and will give impetus to the movement for the reconstruction of the "New and Greater City"; now therefore

Resolved, That this Board pledge its support to the proposition of allowing the site of the Humboldt School on Golden Gate avenue, between Leavenworth and Hyde streets, or any other available site belonging to the City and County, to be leased by the State of California at a nominal rental for a period of twenty (20) years; provided, that an appropriation of not less than three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000) for the construction thereon of a State building be made by the Legislature of the State of California, and that the work of construction on said building be commenced within ninety (90) days.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payment Repairs Boilers.

Resolution No. 84 (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$1786 to be made out of the Surplus Fund

in payment to P. F. Dundon for repairs to boilers at the City Hall, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes: Supervisors Boston, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Authorizing Payment Fire Engine House.

Resolution No. 85 (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$10,964, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Frank McSheehy for erecting a fire engine house at San Jose and Ocean avenue, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes: Supervisors Boston, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Authorizing Payment Street Work.

Resolution No. 86 (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$7000, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the Barber Asphalt Paving Company for paving Mission street southerly from Porter avenue to the county line, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes: Supervisors Boston, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Authorizing Payment Sewer Work.

Resolution No. 87 (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$4705, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the Eureka Construction Company for constructing sewer with appurtenances, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes: Supervisors Boston, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Authorizing Payments, Sweeping and Sprinkling Machines.

Resolution No. 88 (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$3075, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Gray Bros., for street sweeping and sprinkling machines, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes: Supervisors Boston, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Authorizing Payment Street Work.

Resolution No. 89 (New Series),

authorizing an expenditure of \$2001.73, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the Barber Asphalt Paving Company for paving Mission street from Porter avenue to the county line, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes: Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Action Deferred.

Spur Track, Schlessinger and Bender.

Bill No. 14, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled:

"Granting Schlessinger & Bender permission to construct and maintain, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, a spur track over and along Harrison street, connecting their property on the southeast corner of Mariposa and Harrison streets with the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company on Harrison street, between Mariposa and Santa Clara streets," heretofore passed for printing was taken up, and on motion of Supervisor Coffey, was laid over until the meeting of June 11, 1906.

Supervisor Nicholas noted absent. Supervisors Phillips and Sanderson noted present.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes and numbered, as follows, to wit:

Full Acceptance Streets.

Bill No. 15, Ordinance No. 12 (New Series), entitled:

"Providing for the full acceptance of the roadways of Union street between Devisadero and Broderick streets, of Union street between Broderick and Baker streets, of Seventeenth street between San Bruno avenue and Kansas street, of the crossing of Union and Broderick streets, of the crossing of Union and Devisadero streets, of the crossing of Eureka and Nineteenth streets, and of the crossing of Filbert and Broderick streets."

Ayes: Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Extension Time on Street Work.

Resolution No. 90 (New Series), granting Carl Martin an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after

May 16, 1906, within which to complete the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on Eighth avenue between J and K streets.

Ayes: Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Resolution No. 91 (New Series), granting Clark & Henry an extension of sixty (60) days' time from and after May 16, 1906, within which to complete their contract for the paving of Van Ness avenue, between Fulton and McAllister streets, and between Geary and Eddy streets.

Ayes: Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Authorizing Payment Supplies.

Resolution No. 92 (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$1014.31, to be made out of the General Fund in payment of E. Convey & Sons for meat furnished the Alms-house, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes: Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Authorizing Payment, Maintenance Preston Inmates.

Resolution No. 93 (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$801.88, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the State of California for the maintenance of inmates of the Preston School of Industry for the month of April, 1906, as per bill rendered.

Ayes: Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Authorizing Payments Fire Department Horses.

Resolution No. 94 (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$2502, to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to Jos. Levey for nine horses sold to the San Francisco Fire Department, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes: Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Resolution No. 95 (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$3731, to be made out of the Surplus Fund

in payment to Jos. Levey for thirteen horses sold to the San Francisco Fire Department, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes: Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Boiler and Oil Permit.

Resolution No. 96 (New Series), granting the Mutual Biscuit Company premission to erect and maintain, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, a boiler of twenty-five (25) horse power in premises situate on the southerly side of Stevenson street, between Brady and Crocker streets, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes; also to erect and maintain, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 2500 gallons in premises situate on the southerly side of Stevenson street, between Brady and Crocker streets, for the purpose of storing crude petroleum and to use said crude petroleum as fuel under boilers erected and maintained on said premises.

Ayes: Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 97 (New Series), granting the Gorham Rubber Company premission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of fifty horse power in premises situate on southeast corner of Fremont and Mission streets, the same to be used in the process of manufacturing rubber goods.

Ayes: Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Resolution No. 98 (New Series), granting Henry J. Schober permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 75 horse power at premises situate on the northerly side of Bryant street, 25 feet easterly from Morris avenue, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Ayes: Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Resolution No. 99 (New Series), granting the Popular Soda Water Co., inc., permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of fifty (50) horse power at premises situate at 51 Sharon street, the same to be used in the process of manufacturing soda water.

Ayes: Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Regulating Management of Restaurants and Places Where Food Is Dispensed.

Bill No. 16, Ordinance No. 13 (New Series), entitled:

"Relating to and regulating the manner of maintaining, conducting, carrying on or managing restaurant places, kitchens, meat markets, fruit stores, vegetable stores, poultry stores, delicatessen stores, bakery stores, street vendor's stores within the City and County of San Francisco."

Ayes: Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Presentation of Bills and Accounts

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$34,678.91, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 406 to 414 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Walsh, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and

On his motion said Demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

NEW BUSINESS.

Action Deferred.

Install Telephone.

Supervisor Nicholas introduced Resolution No. —, requesting the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Co. to install a telephone at residence of Dr. Poheim, Police Commissioner, No 1700 Steiner street,

for the transaction of official business, which was,

On motion of Supervisor Coffey, laid over until the meeting of June 11, 1906.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Removal of Debris:

Motion.

Supervisor Boxtton moved that the Clerk be directed to call the attention of the Chief of Police to the fact that brick and debris has been removed from private property by the owners thereof and placed in front of their premises when rebuilding or clearing their lots and that the Police Department be requested to require such property owners to cause the removal of said debris.

Matter ordered referred to the Police Committee.

Relating to Custody of Stray Horses and Vehicles.

Motion.

Supervisor Coffey called attention to the fact that at his instance a Resolution had been recently adopted directing that all stray horses and vehicles shall be delivered to the Woodlawn Stables until such time as their owners call for them, and moved that the Clerk be directed to notify the Chief of Police to this effect.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:30 o'clock p. m., adjourned, to meet in Thursday, June 7, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

THURSDAY, JUNE 7, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Thursday, June 7, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

In the absence of his Honor the Mayor, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors noted present:

Supervisors Gallagher, Lonergan, Nicholson, Walsh—4.

No quorum.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, in the absence of a quorum, the Board at the hour of 2:35 o'clock adjourned to meet on Friday, June 8, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

FRIDAY, JUNE 8, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Friday, June 8, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Gallagher, Harrigan, Mamlock, McGushin, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

Spur Track, Schlesinger & Bender.

Bill No. 14, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled "Granting Schlesinger & Bender permission to construct and maintain, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, a spur track over and along Harrison street, connecting their property on the southeast corner of Mariposa and Harrison streets with the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company on Harrison street between Mariposa and Santa Clara streets," laid over from a prior meeting, was taken up, and

Finally passed, as Ordinance No. 14 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Gallagher, Harrigan, Mamlock, McGushin, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$46,438.88, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 406 to 414 inclusive, and

419 to 577 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Walsh, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and

On his motion, said Demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Gallagher, Harrigan, Mamlock, McGushin, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

Supervisor Furey introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Pattern Makers Permitted to Use Supervisors' Chambers.

Resolved, That the Pattern Makers of San Francisco be and they are hereby granted the use of the Chambers of the Board of Supervisors, Mowry's Hall, Grove and Laguna streets, on Saturday evening, June 9th, 1906, for the purpose of transacting such business as may be necessary for their purpose.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Furey, and numbered Resolution No. 100 (New Series).

Removal of Debris.

Supervisor Sanderson reported with respect to the matter of removal of debris placed by property owners on streets and sidewalks in front of their premises, which matter had been referred to the Police Committee, that said Committee had taken up this question with the Chief of Police, who had thereupon immediately given orders to his men to notify property owners to remedy this condition of affairs.

Application of Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company to Operate an Overhead Electric Trolley on Its Street Railroad System.

Committee of the Whole.

On motion of Supervisor Rea, the

Board, at the hour of 3 o'clock, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, for the purpose of considering the application of the Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company, for permission to operate its street car lines, as far as the grades will permit, with an electric overhead trolley system.

The Committee rose at 4 o'clock.

All the members before noted being present.

Report of Committee of the Whole.

The Committee of the Whole, by Supervisor Gallagher, reported progress, having had under consideration the application of the Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company for permission to reconstruct its street car lines with the overhead electric trolley system, and asked leave to defer recommendation thereon until the report of the Engineer of said Railroad Company on the applicability of the trolley system to the grades of the route is presented.

Report Adopted.

Supervisor Furey moved the adoption of the Report.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, at the hour of 4:20 o'clock, the Board adjourned to meet on Saturday, June 9, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

SATURDAY, JUNE 9, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Saturday, June 9, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present: Supervisors Boxton, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz presiding.

Statement.

The Chair stated that the purpose of the meeting was to pass Resolutions, requesting the United States Government to allow bonds of the City and County to be deposited in National Banks as security for national moneys, which would ensure the ready sale of said bonds, and

also to request Congress to lend the American National Red Cross the sum of \$10,000,000, to be applied in shape of loans in housing the homeless people of the city.

A sub-committee of the Relief Committee is now in Washington pressing the matter, and it is the intention to telegraph the proposed Resolutions to aid them in their efforts.

Supervisor Coleman and Coffey were noted present.

Introduction of Resolution.

Thereupon, Supervisor Gallagher introduced and read the following Resolutions:

Requesting Congress to Loan to American National Red Cross \$10,000,000 for Housing of Homeless People and Also to Pledge Credit of United States Government for City and County Bonds.

Whereas, All of the banking business commercial and manufacturing section of San Francisco and more than one-third of the residential section, particularly that occupied by working people, has been destroyed by fire; and

Whereas, The population of the city before the fire was 500,000 and it is now 300,000, 40,000 living in tents and other improvised shelter, and about 100,000 in neighboring towns and villages, ready to return when quarters are provided; and

Whereas, It is desired that the restoration of the city should be immediately begun, as the construction of permanent structures must of necessity be slow, and temporary structures must be erected upon some comprehensive plan which will house not only the people who are temporarily living in tents and in neighboring towns, but also the various occupations, industries and businesses which have heretofore employed labor; and

Whereas, The total loss exceeds \$350,000,000, the insurance amounting to about \$175,000,000, and the adjustment of insurance being, unfortunately, very slow, in most cases the insured not being permitted to remove the debris until adjustment is made, and most of them being powerless to improve until their losses are paid; and

Whereas, To await such slow processes of settlement will be disastrous,

as restorations must move on quickly under a comprehensive plan and with intelligent direction; and

Whereas, The tent period has been covered by the generous charity of the Nation and the civilized world, and twenty-five million dollars (\$25,000,000) is now required for the intermediate period between the tent and permanent restoration; and

Whereas, The commercial and savings banks are in good condition, but the former cannot loan on real estate securities, and all that can be expected of the latter for the present is the carrying on of the ordinary business on a comparatively limited scale; and

Whereas, The State has suffered largely through the paralysis of San Francisco, which is the heart of the State, and constitutional limitations restrain its power to act in this emergency; and

Whereas, The process of meeting existing difficulties by constitutional amendment, enlarging the powers of the State and of the municipality, will be too slow; and

Whereas, The municipality is limited by its Charter to borrowing for municipal purposes, subject to ratification by a popular vote; and

Whereas, Bonds have already been authorized by the City and County of San Francisco amounting to twelve million dollars (\$12,000,000), such bonds bearing three and one-half (3½) per cent interest, and under the law they cannot be sold for less than par; and such bonds cannot be cancelled and new bonds authorized except through the slow process of changing the fundamental law; and

Whereas, The City and County of San Francisco will be obliged in addition to this bond issue, to issue at least forty million dollars (\$40,000,000) more of bonds for the purpose of rebuilding schools and public buildings, and providing a system of sewage disposal and fire protection; and

Whereas, Following the precedents established in the case of the Pacific railroads, Cuba and the Philippines, and the National expositions through National donations, bond guarantees, loans, tariff reductions, etc., it is hoped that Congress will exercise its power in some large and immediately effective way for the rehabilitation of a national port so

exceptionally stricken; therefore be it

Resolved, That the United States is asked to loan to the American National Red Cross ten million dollars (\$10,000,000) to be applied in aiding, by loans or other business methods, the re-establishment of the homeless in their houses before next winter; and be it further

Resolved, That Congress be requested to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to accept the bonds of the City and County of San Francisco, authorized by a popular vote before the fire, left unsold and now in the city treasury, amounting to twelve million dollars (\$12,000,000), as security for the deposit of national moneys with the banks.

Resolved, That a copy of this Resolution be transmitted by telegraph to the President of the United States and to the California delegation in Congress.

Adopted.

Thereupon, on motion of Supervisor Gallagher, said Resolution was adopted by unanimous vote, as Resolution No. 101 (New Series).

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board, at the hour of 3:15 o'clock, adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

MONDAY, JUNE 11, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, June 11, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in Regular Session.

CALLING THE ROLL

The Roll was called, and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Sander-son, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor, Mayor Schmitz presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journal of the Meeting of May 28, 1906, was read and approved.

The reading of the Journals of subsequent meetings was ordered dispensed with.

THE BUILDING LAW.

Report of Special Committee on Revision of "The Building Law."

To the Honorable, The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco:

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Revision of "The Building Law," to whom were delegated the task of editing, regrouping, renumbering and reconciling conflicting Sections of Bill No. 17, the same being "The Building Law," submitted to your Honorable Body by the Committee on Building Laws of the General Committee on the Reconstruction of San Francisco, appointed by his Honor, Mayor E. E. Schmitz, beg leave to report that they have completed their labors, and to recommend the passage for printing of said Bill as revised and amended.

Your Committee gave careful and earnest consideration of the matter before them, being assisted in their work by the City Architect, W. D. Shea, by Assistant Engineer P. H. Shaughnessy of the Fire Department, by F. H. Porter, representing the Fire Underwriters, by Civil Engineer J. D. Galloway, and by Civil Engineer F. H. Carsow, all of these gentlemen being connected with the original Committee on Building Laws of the General Committee, and as the result thereof believe that the Bill as now framed will be a satisfactory working instrument in the upbuilding of the "New and Greater San Francisco."

It is to be expected in a task of this kind, monumental in character, that certain inconsistencies and conflicts may result, despite the best intended and studious efforts to overcome the same.

Should inconsistencies arise, however, in the future, it will be an easy matter for your Honorable Board to remedy the same by amending the sections in which they occur.

Your Committee has transmitted to the Official Newspaper its copy of the revised Bill, and expected to have the same in printed form in readiness for your Honorable Board at today's session, but owing to the fact that it is a difficult matter to have such an amount of printing completed within the necessarily brief period intervening between the completion of your Committee's labors and the Meeting of your Honorable Board, your Committee regrets to state that the printed slips will not be in readiness either for distribution to the public or for filing with

your Honorable Board until the latter portion of the present week.

It is expected, however, that if the Bill is ordered passed at today's session, publication of the same can be commenced and completed in readiness for final passage on the 25th inst.

Respectfully Submitted,
DANIEL S. COLEMAN,
GEORGE F. DUFFEY,
F. P. NICHOLAS,

Special Committee on Revision of the Building Law.

Read and adopted.

**"The Building Law
Passed for Printing."**

Thereupon, Bill No. 17, Ordinance No. — (New Series), re-entitled, "Regulating the Construction, Erection, Enlargement, Raising, Alteration, Repair, Removal, Maintenance, Use and Height of Buildings; Regulating Character and Use of Materials in and for Buildings; Establishing Fire Limits, and Repealing all Ordinances in Conflict with this Ordinance," and as revised and amended, was,

On motion of Supervisor Coleman, passed for printing.

Special Order.

"The Building Law."

Supervisor Gallagher moved that consideration of Bill No. 17, be made a Special Order of Business for Monday, June 18, 1906, at 10 a. m.

So ordered.

**PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS
FILED WITH THE BOARD.**

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

**To the Equalization of Assessments
Committee.**

Petitions—Of Mrs. D. Heuer, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$71.45, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

Of Mary A. Rourke, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$14.15, an erroneous payment of taxes on Real Estate Roll of 1905.

Of O'Hara and Livermore, for the refunding to them of the sum of \$28.55, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

Of J. G. James Co., for the refunding to them of the sum of \$4.27, an erroneous payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

Of Hattie G. Mann, for the refund-

ing to her of the sum of \$46.23, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

To the Finance Committee.

Petition—Of W. G. Bright, for the payment to him of the sum of \$405.65, salary alleged to be due for services rendered the Registrar of Voters.

Communication—From Baldwin and Howell, relative to continuation of leasing of certain property belonging to the City and County of San Francisco.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of the Dean Reversible Window Co., to erect and maintain an engine and two boilers of 100 horse-power each, at premises 553 Brannan street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, the same to be used in connection with a planing mill.

Of the Occidental Planing Mill for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler in premises situate on east side of Second street, 137 feet 6 inches northerly from Townsend street.

Of the Palace Hotel Laundry, for permission to erect and maintain a storage tank of a capacity of 1,000 gallons, for the storage of crude petroleum, to be used under boiler on the south side of Post street, between Devisadero and Broderick street.

Also, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 50 horse-power at above premises.

Of Scott and Company, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler in premises situate on the south side of Jefferson street, 137 feet west of Mason street, the same to be used in connection with a planing mill.

Of the St. Francis Hospital, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of four horse-power in premises No. 2828 California street.

Protest—Of Property Owners, against the operation of a Japanese laundry at No. 567 Grove street, between Octavia and Laguna streets.

**To the Hospital and Health
Committee**

Petition—Of F. Corawall, M. D., and others for permission to conduct a sanitarium in building located at No. 607 Van Ness Avenue.

Protests—Of P. F. Schubert and others, against the maintenance of a

stable at premises known as No. 166 Sanchez street.

Of P. J. Cummins, and others, against the building and maintenance of a stable in the block bounded by Dolores, Church, Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets.

Of H. C. Biggs and others, against the maintenance of a stable on the south side of California street, between Scott and Devisadero streets.

To the Police Committee.

Petitions—Of Geo. Muller, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$3.00, paid the Poundkeeper for the release of a cow claimed to have been illegally impounded.

Protest—Of West of Castro Club, against the temporary suspension of the Pound regulations.

To the License and Orders Committee.

Communication—From Independent Order of Good Templars, District No. 5, commending policy of closing saloons.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petitions—Of John Breuner Co., for permission to lay and maintain a spur track on Harrison street, connecting their property on the southeast corner of Santa Clara and Harrison streets with the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company on Harrison street.

Of the Southern Pacific Company, requesting permission to construct and maintain spur tracks, commencing at the end of the existing railroad track at or near the intersection of the center lines of North Point street and Mason street, and thence extending westerly along the center lines of various streets; also,

Commencing in the center line of Beach street at a point situate about 100 feet easterly from the intersection of the center line of Beach street with the easterly line of Hyde street, and running along Beach street to a point 123 feet easterly from the easterly line of Van Ness avenue.

Of The Ocean Shore Railway Company, for permission to explode blasts in the vicinity of Sixteenth and Florida streets, for the purpose of constructing a grade for its railway as called for in its franchise.

Of P. A. McDonald, offering to dedicate to the City and County of San Francisco sufficient land for two

streets forty (40) feet wide and to extend a distance of about 280 feet, connecting Mission street with Watson street, and requesting that the City and County accept said lands for the purposes mentioned.

Communication—From the Point Lobos Improvement Club, advocating the immediate operation of the Geary Street Railroad as an overhead trolley system.

To the Special Committee on the Revision of the Building Ordinance.

Communication—From F. H. Porter, recommending re-arrangement of the proposed Building Law, in regard to chimneys and flues, smokestacks and fireplaces.

File.

Communication—From the San Francisco Labor Council, enclosing a copy of its Resolution repudiating false charges made against said organization by the local press, and aiming to destroy the well-earned reputation of Honorable Mayor E. E. Schmitz.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received, read and referred as follows: **To the Artificial Lights Committee.**

From the Department of Electricity, requesting that arc lights be erected in Lobos Square to facilitate the patrolling of that District by the Police Department.

From the Registrar, with requisition for repairs to electric lights and the installation of a telephone in its new premises at the Mission High School.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

From the Tax Collector, with requisition for one telephone for use in his office, No. 2511 Sacramento street.

To the Water Rates Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, enclosing a Petition of Residents of Castro Heights, requesting the Spring Valley Water Works to furnish sufficient water pressure for said district.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the reduction of width of sidewalks on Eddy street, between Market street and Van Ness

avenue; Turk street, between Market street and Van Ness avenue; Larkin street, between Sutter and Market streets; and on Ninth street, between Market street and Division street.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Minnesota street, between the southerly line of Eighteenth street and a line 433 feet southerly from the southerly line of Twentieth street, paved with basalt blocks.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Fifth avenue and Lake street, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Locust street, between Clay and Washington streets.

Also, recommending that an extension of ninety (90) days' time be granted the San Francisco Construction Company, from and after June 6th, 1906, within which to complete their contract for the work of improving First avenue, between Hugo street and Parnassus avenue.

To the Joint Committee on Streets and Finance.

From the Board of Public Works, submitting Report of the City Engineer relative to the repair of sewer and pavement on Valencia street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, and recommending that the sum of \$11,000 be set aside for this purpose.

Also, submitting Report of the City Engineer, relative to the reconstruction of sewers, and repair of pavements on Fourteenth street, between Valencia and Harrison streets, and recommending that the sum of \$19,000 be set aside for this purpose.

Also, submitting Report of the City Engineer, relative to the reconstruction of sewers and repairs of pavements on Van Ness avenue, from Vallejo to Union street, and recommending that the sum of \$24,000 be set aside for this purpose.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Committees, by their respective Chairmen presented Reports on various matters referred, which Reports were read and ordered placed on file:

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Duffey.

Hospital and Health Committee, by Supervisor Lonergan.

Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Nicholas.

Street, Sewers and Parks Committee, by Supervisor Rea.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage of Budget, 1906-7.

Bill No. 18, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An ordinance fixing and appropriating the aggregate sum and the items thereof allowed to each department, office, board and commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1907, and making a budget of the same," heretofore passed for printing, was taken up and

Finally passed, as Ordinance No. 15 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson —18.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following votes and numbered as follows, to wit:

Acquisition Park Lands.

Resolution No. 102 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$9000 to be made out of the "Golden Gate Park and Presidio Extension Acquisition Account" of the Public Building Fund in payment to James D. Whitney as the purchase price of a subdivision of Outside Land Block No. 368, forming a part of the Park and Presidio Extension and more particularly described in Resolution No. 70 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson —18.

Authorizing Payment of March Water Service.

Resolution No. 103 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$5327.32 to be made out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1905-6 in payment to Spring Valley Water Company for water supplied for municipal purposes during the month of March, 1906, as per bill rendered, to wit:

Water for public buildings. \$1166.66
 Water for fire hydrants... 4160.66

Total \$5327.32

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelley, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—18.

Authorizing Payment of March Lighting Service.

Resolution No. 104 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$26,524.26, to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company, for lighting public buildings and streets during the month of March, 1906, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—18.

Authorizing Payment April Repairs to Streets.

Resolution No. 105 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2172.72, to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to the City Street Improvement Company for repairs in bituminous paved streets during the month of April, 1906, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—18.

Resolution No. 106 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$922.22, to be made out of the General Fund, in payment of the City Street Improvement Company, for repairs on bituminous paved streets during the month of April, 1906, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—18.

Relating to Undertaking and Embalming Establishments

Bill No. 19, Ordinance No. 16 (New Series), entitled, "Prohibiting the establishment and maintenance of undertaking or embalming estab-

lishments, without first obtaining a permit therefor from the Board of Supervisors."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—18.

Relating to Chimney Inspection.

Bill No. 20, Ordinance No. 17 (New Series), entitled, "Prohibiting the use of chimneys until inspection thereof is made by the Board of Public Works; providing for such inspection and for the appointment by said Board of chimney inspectors, and authorizing the issuance of certificates of inspection, fixing the amount of fees and providing for the payment thereof," the provisions of which differ from those of Ordinance No. 7 (New Series) in this, that an inspection fee of \$1.00 is charged for each chimney flue inspected, instead of each chimney.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—18.

Temporary Suspension of Public Pound Regulation.

Bill No. 21, Ordinance No. 18 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the suspension for a period of ninety (90) days of the enforcement of Ordinance No. 115, entitled, 'An Ordinance to Provide a Public Pound and to Make Necessary Rules and Regulations in the Matter of Animals Running at Large, and for the Custody and Destruction of the Same' (approved July 17, 1900), and all amendatory ordinances thereof, except as to the provisions of said ordinances relative to dogs running at large," the provisions of which require that a herder be in constant attendance and custody of herds or bands of cattle, sheep or other animals in excess of five in number.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—18.

Spur Track, San Francisco Gas and Electric Co.

Bill No. 22, Ordinance No. 19 (New Series), entitled, "Granting the

San Francisco Gas and Electric Company permission to construct and maintain, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, a spur track over and along Townsend street, connecting its property on Clarence place and Townsend street with the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company on Second and Townsend streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—18.

Permitting United Railroads of San Francisco to Operate Overhead Trolley System on Cable Lines.

Bill No. 23, Ordinance No. 20 (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the United Railroads of San Francisco to operate all of their several cable railway lines, so far as grades will permit, by electricity, by means of the so-called overhead trolley system."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—18.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 107 (New Series), granting Guggenheim & Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler, not to exceed twenty-five horse-power on premises situate at the southeast corner of Davis and Sacramento streets, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—18.

Resolution No. 108 (New Series), granting Goldberg, Bowen & Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of one horse-power and a wagon repository in premises situate on the south side of California street, between Scott and Devisadero streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan,

Mamlock, McGushing, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—18.

Providing for Abatement of Nuisances.

Bill No. 24, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Defining what is a nuisance and empowering the Board of Health of the City and County of San Francisco to abate and summarily destroy said nuisance."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—18.

Adopted.

Install Telephone.

Resolution No. —, requesting the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company to install a telephone in the residence of Dr. J. Poheim, Police Commissioner, No. 1700 Steiner street, for the transaction of official business, laid over from a prior meeting, was taken up and

Adopted as Resolution No. 109 (New Series).

Presentation of Bills and Accounts.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$1417.32, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 581 to 586 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Gallagher reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—18.

New Business.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payments, Supplies for Park.

On motion of Supervisor Rea, Resolution No. — (New Series), au-

thorizing an expenditure of \$3234.00, to be made out of the Park Fund, in payment to the following firms for goods, etc., furnished Golden Gate Park, as follows:

To J. L. Vermell, for hay and grain	\$1244.55
To United Railroads, for hauling sweepings	1371.60
To California Nursery Co., for plants	617.85

Total\$3234.00

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey. Resolution No. — (New Series), granting Jno. Proll permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of eight (8) horse-power in premises situate at Eighth avenue, north of J street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Also Resolution No. — (New Series), granting E. G. Lyons and Raas Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler not to exceed seventy (70) horse-power in premises situate at Bryant street, between Second and Third streets, the same to be used for operating engines, pumps, etc.

Also, Resolution No. —, granting V. Sartori permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler not to exceed four (4) horse-power in premises situate at 5181½ Laguna street, the same to be used for sterilizing purposes.

Also, Resolution No. —, granting A. J. Forbes & Son permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler not to exceed sixteen (16) horse-power in premises situate at 1430 Filbert street, the same to be used for heating water.

Also, Resolution No. —, granting Thomas Alexander permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler not to exceed two (2) horse-power in premises situate at 1065 Market street, the same to be used in the process of manufacturing hats.

Also, Resolution No. —, granting Pierre Claverie permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler not to exceed eight (8) horse-power in premises situate

at 1469 Fifteenth street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Also, Resolution No. —, granting J. E. Elkington permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of four (4) horse-power in premises situate at Albion avenue, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Also, Resolution No. —, granting C. F. Hornung permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler not to exceed eight (8) horse-power in premises situate at 420 Church street, the same to be used for boiling sausage.

Also, Resolution No. —, granting The Occidental Planing Mill permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler not to exceed forty-five (45) horse-power on premises situate at the east side of Second street, 137 feet 6 inches northerly from Townsend street, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Oil Permit.

Also, Resolution No. —, granting Guggenheim & Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding fifteen hundred (1500) gallons in premises situate at the southeast corner of Davis and Sacramento streets, for the purpose of storing crude petroleum as fuel under boilers erected and maintained on said premises.

Full Acceptance Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Rea. Bill No. 25, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the full acceptance of the roadways of Olive avenue, between Van Ness avenue and Franklin street, of Eureka street, between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets, Eureka street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, and of Locust street, between Clay and Washington streets, paved with bituminous rock."

Extensions of Time on Street Work.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), granting Thomas Clark an extension of sixty days time from and after June 11, 1906, within which to

complete the contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on Hayes street, between Devisadero and Broderick streets.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), granting The City Street Improvement Company an extension of sixty days' time from and after May 23, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of granite curbs and a bituminous rock and basalt block pavement on Sixteenth street, between Market and Castro streets, where not already constructed.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), granting, The Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after May 28, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of a sewer with appurtenances in Baker and adjacent streets, and also an extension of ninety days' time from and after May 31, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of a bridge at San Jose and Mount Vernon avenue.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), granting C. S. Harney an extension of ninety days' time from and after May 31, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the work of grading, curbing and macadamizing H street from Twentieth to Twenty-eighth avenues, and an extension of ninety days' time from and after May 23, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the repaving of Fourth street, between Howard and Freelon streets.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), granting Carl Martin an extension of sixty days' time from and after May 31, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of a sewer in Noe street, between Thirtieth and Day streets.

Authorizing Appointment of Special Assistant to City Attorney.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher.

Bill No. 26, Ordinance No. — (New Series) entitled, "Authorizing the Appointment in place and stead of the present fourth assistant to the City Attorney of a special assistant to the City Attorney for the purpose of facilitating the acquisition of lands and the construction of permanent municipal buildings and improvements provided for in the bond issue, fixing the salary of said special assistant, and providing for the

payment thereof out of the public building fund."

Regulation Sale of Narcotic Drugs.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan. Bill No. 27, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An ordinance to provide against the evils resulting from the traffic in certain narcotic drugs, and to regulate the sale thereof; providing for the enforcement thereof, and penalties for the violation thereof."

Prohibiting Sale of Adulterated Drugs.

Also, Bill No. 28, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An ordinance to prohibit the sale of adulterated drugs and medicines; defining 'adulteration,' 'drug,' prohibiting the sale of methyl alcohol in drugs and medicines; providing for the enforcement thereof, and penalties for the violation thereof."

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Permit to Construct "Exhibition Tattersall."

On motion of Supervisor Duffey.

Resolution No. 110, granting Fred H. Chase permission to erect and maintain, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, at premises in center of block bounded by Albion avenue, Fifteenth, Sixteenth and Valencia streets, a structure styled an amphitheater and "Exhibition Tattersall," for the purpose of holding therein horse shows, exhibitions and auction sales of high-grade livestock. Said structure is described generally as follows: The main portion or amphitheater is about 250 feet long, north and south, and about 125 feet wide, east and west.

Also, an L running from the easterly side of said premises, near the southerly line, in an easterly direction to the westerly side of Valencia street, constituting an entrance to the amphitheatre, said L being generally about 46 feet wide, north and south, and about 90 feet long, east and west.

The construction of said "Exhibition Tattersall" shall be in compliance with all the health, fire and police ordinances of the City and County of San Francisco.

Intention to Change Grades on Market Street, on Valencia Street and on Brady Street.

On motion of Supervisor Rea.

Resolution No. 111 (New Series), declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Market street, between Twelfth street and Waller street, including the intersection of said Market street with Haight street and with Valencia street; on Valencia street, between Market street and Hermann street, and on Brady street, between Market street and Stevenson street, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed June 4, 1906, and directing said Board of Public Works to determine the district to be assessed for benefits and to make an estimate of the cost of making said changes of grade, including an estimate of the damages which may result therefrom or be caused thereby.

Roll Call for Introduction of Resolutions, Bills and Motions Not Considered or Reported Upon by a Committee.

Adopted.

Supervisor Boxton introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Mayor Appoint Fourth of July Committee.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby respectfully requested to appoint a committee of twenty-five citizens for the purpose of properly celebrating the next anniversary of our national independence, which occurs on the fourth day of July, and said committee to be appointed under the provi-

sions of this Resolution is hereby authorized to expend the appropriation made in the Budget of the fiscal year 1906-1907 for said purpose. The appropriation for the observance of said day being authorized by the provisions of the Charter, Subdivision 18, Section 1, Chapter II, Article II of the Charter.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Boxton, as Resolution No. 112 (New Series).

Referred.

Providing for Morgue Building.

Supervisor Nicholas introduced Resolution No. — (New Series), setting aside the sum of \$5000 for the purpose of constructing a suitable building for the use and purposes of a City Morgue and Coroner's Office, upon a site to be selected hereafter.

Referred to the Finance Committee.

Adopted.

Supervisor Walsh introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration. So ordered.

Raise Flags June 17, 1906, in Honor of Battle of Bunker Hill.

Resolved, That all citizens of the City and County be and are hereby requested to cause the American Flag to be hoisted over their places of residence or business on June 17, 1906, in honor of the anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill.

Adopted on motion of Supervisor Walsh, as Resolution No. 113 (New Series).

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4 o'clock, adjourned, to meet on Wednesday, June 13, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Wednesday, June 13, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journal of previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

Communication.

A communication from the California Promotion Committee, inviting the members of the Board to attend the fifth semi-annual meeting of said Committee, to be held at Napa, Cal., June 16, 1906, was received, read and ordered filed.

Reports of Committees.

The License and Orders Committee by Supervisor Kelly presented a report, which was received, read and ordered filed.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

Supervisor Davis introduced the

following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Appointing Chief Commissary of Commissary Department.

Whereas, The contracts for supplies for various institutions will expire at the end of June, 1906, and it will be necessary for the Commissary Department created by the Budget for the coming year to provide for the needs of the various departments to be supplied by the Commissary Department, commencing July 1, 1906; and

Whereas, It is necessary that a Chief Commissary be appointed at this time in order that the requisite arrangements may be made; therefore, be it

Resolved, That Thomas J. Gallagher be and is appointed Chief Commissary of said Commissary Department, and that his compensation is hereby fixed at the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250.00) per month.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Wilson, as Resolution No. 114 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Relating to Consideration of Offers to Furnish a Water Supply for San Francisco.

Motion.

Supervisor Boxton moved that a meeting of the Special Committee on Water Supply be called for Wednesday, June 20, 1906, at 10 a. m., for the purpose of considering proposals

to furnish a supply of pure, fresh water to San Francisco, and that all parties interested or submitting proposals be notified to be in attendance at that time and also, that the City Engineer be instructed to file immediately with the Clerk, all reports and data in his possession relating to water offers and water supplies.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, at the hour of 3:45 o'clock, the Board adjourned, to meet on Monday, June 18, 1906, at 10 a. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

MONDAY, JUNE 18, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, June 18, 1906, 10 a. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of the meetings of May 29, and June 1, 1906, were read and approved, and the reading of the Journals of subsequent meetings was ordered dispensed with.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The Building Law.

The Special Order of Business fixed for this day's session, namely, a public hearing on Bill No. 17, known as "The Building Law," was proceeded with.

Privilege of Floor.

The Chair invited those interested in "The Building Law," to express their views and opinions upon the same.

Thereupon, Chas. Alpers addressed the Board, recommending that the height of the buildings be limited to the width of the street upon which they front. The limit is thus fixed in Stockholm, London, Berlin and other large cities on the continent.

The gentleman claimed that it was against sound public policy to erect high buildings, inasmuch as the public is deprived of sunlight, and that a nuisance is caused by the varying gusts of wind. If the height limit is regulated by the width of the streets it will make a uniform and beautiful city.

J. C. Sims was heard opposing the use of re-inforced concrete in building construction, claiming that this type of construction was only in the experimental stage, and its safety had not as yet been demonstrated. In a country where earthquakes prevail, the height limitation of this character of construction should be fixed at a few stories. The earthquake demonstrated that buildings constructed entirely of steel such as the Kohl Building, the Call Building and the St. Francis Hotel, were practically unharmed, and none but this character of structure should be permitted for tall buildings. In conclusion, the gentleman stated that he was opposed to "Class B" construction, as specified in the Ordinance, and believed that it should be eliminated.

William Hammond Hall, representing the Association of Structural Engineers and Architects of San Francisco, stated in part, that the construction of a re-inforced concrete building was generally regarded as an engineering proposition. There have been failures in re-inforced construction, the same as in other types, but this is due to the fact that the requisite care was not taken in the preparation of materials and the manner of workmanship. The Palace Hotel, a brick building, was planned by an architect and the plans revised by an engineer. Every wall was tied by iron rods, and the building was an excellent example of tying the walls, such as is proposed in re-inforced concrete construction. A re-inforced concrete building is designed similarly to a steel building, and if properly arranged to carry loads, and thoroughly braced to withstand tensions and wind pressure, there is no better type of construction.

Concrete must be put up faithfully, or else it will disintegrate and fall down—good construction must be given the same as any other substance. The restrictions contained in the Ordinance relative to this

type of construction were prepared by competent engineers acting at the instance of the Mayor. Elsewhere the practice is to embed one-quarter to one-third of an per centum of steel in the concrete, but section 81 of this Ordinance prescribes that one per centum of the area of steel to the concrete shall be used. While he did not think this amount of reinforcement necessary, nevertheless it added to the element of safety. In conclusion the gentlemen recommended that instead of the word "immediately," being used in Section 30 of the Ordinance, referring to the use of cement after mixing, that the words "within twenty minutes after being mixed," be used.

In Section 31, the language should be changed to require that cement and lime water should be used within thirty minutes after mixing.

P. H. Shaughnessy, Chief Engineer of the Fire Department addressed the Board, opposing the increasing of the height of frame buildings over 45 feet.

W. R. Sherwood was heard advocating the increase of the height of frame buildings to 50 feet on wide streets, that is, streets 80 feet or more in width, which will permit the erection on said streets of four-story buildings.

William F. Burbank claimed that if fires ever started in so-called fire-proof buildings, they became unmanageable, owing to the inability of the Fire Department to place a stream of water on the higher stories. The rates of fire insurance increase proportionately with the height of the buildings. In conclusion he asked that the height restriction of Class A buildings proposed in the Ordinance be adhered to.

William A. Schulze, President of San Francisco Chapter of American Institute of Architects, said in part; "I do not favor any particular character of construction over another, being interested in all, but I wish to say that the type of construction designated, "Reinforced Concrete," as outlined under Class "B" buildings in the Ordinance is eminently safe.

There are from twelve to fourteen hundred buildings ready to be started when this law is passed. Steel, concrete or brick, are all good if honestly built. We wish, however, to see re-inforced concrete given a fair

show and placed on a parity with other types of construction.

H. W. Postelthwaite, President Holmes Lime Company, recommended that Section 43 be amended by permitting unslathed Class "C" buildings to be built to height of 84 feet.

Frank B. Gilbert, building contractor of New York City said in part: "We have under contract at the present time over \$1,000,000 worth of buildings. I came to this city twelve days before the earthquake to engage in business, and am satisfied to remain, being confident of the rebuilding of the city. Nothing can be done on these contracts until this Ordinance is settled. I have built all kinds of buildings, brick, steel and re-inforced concrete, and ordinarily use but seventh-tenths of one-per cent of steel to the area of concrete.

"An experimental station is maintained in Boston, Mass., where all these matters relating to building and to fire-proof construction are thoroughly threshed out, and this factor of steel in concrete has been determined to be safe."

Edward J. Brandon, representing the Bricklayers' Union, addressed the Board, objecting to the stamp of approval being placed upon re-inforced concrete construction, until this character of construction has been demonstrated to be safe for six-inch concrete walls compared with twelve inches of brick. A six-inch reinforced concrete wall is not fireproof, and cannot be proven to be so. If the Call or Kohl Buildings were so built, they would not be standing today. In Baltimore the maximum height of buildings constructed of concrete walls is limited to three stories.

Joseph Scheerer, Contractor, asked that all mortar be made up at least ten days before being used, and stated that despite Mr. Brandon's assertion that concrete is not fire-proof, this is not the fact.

A. G. Eells, Attorney, addressed the Board, stating that the height, limitation of one and one-half times the street width works a hardship and an injustice to owners of property living on narrow streets, and that the Ordinance should be amended in this regard.

Thomas E. Keogh, representing the Journeymen Cement Workers

Union, was heard favoring permitting concrete construction.

Henry Gervais, addressed the Board favoring reinforced concrete construction as being both earthquake proof and fire proof, when properly built. He instanced that his residence, at Burlingame, San Mateo County, withstood the earthquake, not a flaw nor break being found afterwards.

William Best addressed the Board, favoring the reinforced concrete type of construction.

Charles J. Murphy, ex-Commissioner in Europe, of the Department of Agriculture, U. S., stated that concrete construction was in general use throughout Europe.

Richard Keatinge, Concrete Contractor, stated that the floors in the Kohl Building and the St. Francis Hotel were constructed of concrete.

Motion.

Supervisor Boxton moved that the Bill be referred back to the Committee on Revision and Building Laws, that corrected copies be printed and distributed and that a hearing be had on Saturday, June 23, 1906, at 10 a. m.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, at the hour of 1:45 o'clock, the Board adjourned, to meet on Wednesday, June 20, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Wednesday, June 20, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Loneragan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Reading of the Journals of previous Meetings was ordered dispensed with.

Presentation of Petitions Filed With the Board.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were pre-

sented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Communication: From D Nichols, complaining of the failure of the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company to properly light Shotwell street between Fifteenth and Nineteenth streets.

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petition: Of Mrs. E. C. Herlehy, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$11.33, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

To the Finance Committee.

Petitions: Of S. Kramer, with claim for \$194.90, for lumber taken from in front of building in course of construction on the northeast corner of Post and Gough streets.

Communications: From the Finance Committee of the Relief and Red Cross Funds, submitting claims of H. A. McCall and Klopstock Brothers, with statement that the articles therein specified were ordered and used by the Board of Supervisors.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions: Of the Golden Rule Laundry, 567 Grove street, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler at Nos. 474-476 Ivy avenue, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Of Popular Soda Works, for permission to erect and maintain a storage tank for the purpose of storing crude oil, at premises No. 51 Sharon street.

Of Hayward Manufacturing Co., for permission to erect and maintain a boiler at premises northwest corner of Harrison and Mariposa Terrace.

Of the Jean Reversible Window Company, for permission to erect and maintain two engines and boilers in premises situate No. 553 Brannan street, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Of Leonard Morton Lumber Co., for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler in premises at Fifteenth and Dolores street, the same boiler yard.

Of St. Francis Hospital, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of four horsepower at premises No. 2028 California street, to be used in connection with a lum-

Of Abner Doble Co., for permission to erect and maintain steam boilers of 300 horsepower each at premises situate in South Beach, Block No. 36,

bounded by Seventh, Hubbell, South and Sixteenth streets.

Of Scott & Co., for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 50 horsepower, in premises on the south side of Jefferson street, 137 feet west of Mason street, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Of C. S. Laumeister, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 100 horsepower at premises situate on Erie street, 137 feet east of Mission street, the same to be used for milling purposes; also to store and use crude oil on said premises.

Of Spanish-American Food Company, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 80 horsepower in premises south side of Erie street, between Mission and Howard streets, and also to store and use crude oil on said premises.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petition: Of Iaccheri & Mistrion, for permission to conduct an undertaking and embalming parlor at No. 3010 Mission street.

Protest: Of the Market Street and Eureka Valley Improvement Club, against the establishment of a stable on Sanchez street, near Fifteenth street.

Communication: From A. Sbarboro, acknowledging receipt of Communication from the Board of Supervisors, in the matter of the Sanitary Reduction Works.

To the License and Orders Committee.

Petition: Of Edwin C. Wood, for the reconsideration of the matter of the license to be imposed on dancing halls where liquors are sold.

Communication: From the William Morris Club, requesting that an Ordinance be enacted providing that no license be issued for the sale of liquor to any person who intends to sell the same in connection with any other business, and that the license for saloons be fixed at \$1000 per annum.

From Archibald J. Montrose, President of the California Liquor Association, requesting that bids be received for a franchise for the sale of liquor, and awarded to the highest bidder.

From the San Francisco Epworth League Alliance, with suggestions in regard to the matter of licensing saloons and regulations in connection with the same.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Protest: Of Property Owners, against granting a franchise to the Western Pacific Railway Company to cross Pennsylvania avenue and Twenty-third street.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petitions: Of Peter Henska, for permission to maintain a tent in Jefferson Square, and to conduct a tailor shop therein.

Of Mrs. Emma O'Donnell, for permission to explode blasts for grading purposes in Blocks 7 and 8 Noe Garden Homestead.

Of Mrs. Anna E. Reynold, for the removal of railroad track from the roadway of Union street, between Hyde and Larkin streets.

Protest: Of West of Castro Street Club, against granting permission to blast at Twenty-sixth and Douglass streets.

Communications: From the Italian-American Realty Company, enclosing Resolutions of North Beach Improvement Club, in the matter of street car, telephone and other public service in San Francisco.

From W. H. Edwards, calling attention to the impassable condition of streets in vicinity of Twenty-second and Harrison streets.

From R. F. Preusser, submitting a diagram showing car fender for street car purposes.

File.

The following Communications were received, read and ordered placed on file:

From Louisa McCord Smythe, of Charleston, South Carolina, representing the Daughters of the Confederacy, expressing her sorrow and sympathy to the citizens of this city for their great loss and suffering caused by the recent disaster.

From Hon. E. A. Hayes, M. C., acknowledging receipt of telegram from the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in the matter of accepting the Bonds of the City and County as security for the loan of \$10,000,000 for the rehabilitation of San Francisco.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Recorder, submitting estimate of the expenses of his office for the month of June, 1906.

From the City and County Hospital, with an estimate of the indebtedness of that institution which will be incurred up to the end of the fiscal year.

From the Assessor, with an estimate of the indebtedness of his office which will be incurred up to the end of the fiscal year.

From the Clerk of the Justices' Court, with an estimate of the indebtedness which will be incurred by that department up to the end of the fiscal year.

From the District Attorney, stating that no extraordinary expenses have been incurred by his office since the recent disaster.

From the City Attorney, with copy of opinion rendered the Treasurer in the matter of chimney inspection fees.

From the San Francisco Law Library, stating that there is no extra indebtedness incurred against said Department.

From the Board of Public Works, requesting the Board of Supervisors to enact an Ordinance directing the Auditor and Treasurer to honor demands of various persons employed in connection with chimney inspection.

To the Police Committee:

From the Poundkeeper, with his Report for the month of May, 1906.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Frederick and Clayton streets, paved with bituminous rock;

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of California street, between First and Third avenues, paved with bituminous rock;

Also, recommending that Owen McHugh be granted an extension of ninety days' time within which to complete his contract for the improvement of Fulton street, between the easterly line of Twenty-fifth avenue and the easterly line of Thirty-fifth avenue;

Also, recommending that D. J. O'Connor be granted an extension of 90 days' time within which to com-

plete his contract to construct sewers in China avenue between Paris street and Edinburgh street;

Also, enclosing a letter from Miller and Lux, complaining of street obstructions at Howard and Fifth streets, and requesting that the temporary tracks of the Ocean Shore Railroad be removed;

Also, enclosing a letter from a property owner complaining of temporary tracks laid on Capp street.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Fire Committee, by Supervisor Duffey, presented a report, which was received, read and ordered placed on file.

The Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee, by Supervisor Rea, presented a report, which was received, read and ordered placed on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payments, Supplies for Park.

Resolution No. 115 (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$3234.00, to be made out of the Park Fund, in payment to the following firms for goods, etc., furnished Golden Gate Park, as follows:

To J. L. Vermeil, for hay and grain	\$1244.55
To United Railroads, for hauling sweepings	1371.60
To California Nursery Co., for plants	617.85

Total \$3234.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Longergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 116 (New Series), granting Jno. Proll permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of eight (8) horsepower in premises situate at Eighth avenue, north of J street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Longergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 117 (New Series),

granting E. G. Lyons and Raas Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler not to exceed seventy (70) horsepower in premises situate at Bryant street, between Second and Third streets, the same to be used for operating engines, pumps, etc

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 118, granting V. Sartori permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler not to exceed four (4) horsepower in premises situate at 518 1/2 Laguna street, the same to be used for sterilizing purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 119, granting A. J. Forbes & Son permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler, not to exceed sixteen (16) horsepower, in premises situate at 1420 Filbert street, the same to be used for heating water.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 120, granting Thomas Alexander permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler not to exceed two (2) horsepower, in premises situate at 1065 Market street, the same to be used in the process of manufacturing hats.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 121, granting Pierre Claverie permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler not to exceed eight (8) horsepower, in premises situate at 1469 Fifteenth street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 122, granting J. E. Elkington permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of four (4) horsepower in premises situate at Albion avenue, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 123, granting C. F. Hornung permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler, not to exceed eight (8) horsepower, in premises situate at 420 Church street, the same to be used for boiling sausage.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 124, granting The Occidental Planing Mill permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler, not to exceed forty-five (45) horsepower, on premises situate at the east side of Second street, 137 feet 6 inches northerly from Townsend street, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Oil Permit.

Resolution No. 125, granting Gugenheim & Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding fifteen hundred (1500) gallons, in premises situate at the southeast corner of Davis and Sacramento streets, for the purpose of storing crude petroleum as fuel under boilers erected and maintained on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Full Acceptance Streets.

Bill No. 25, Ordinance No. 22 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the full acceptance of the road-

ways of Olive avenue, between Van Ness avenue and Franklin street, of Eureka street, between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets, Eureka street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, and of Locust street, between Clay and Washington streets, paved with bituminous rock."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Extension of Time Street Work.

Also, Resolution No. 126 (New Series), granting Thomas Clark an extension of sixty days' time from and after June 11, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on Hayes street between Devisadero and Broderick streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 127 (New Series), granting the City Street Improvement Company an extension of sixty days' time from and after May 23, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of granite curbs and a bituminous rock and basalt block pavement on Sixteenth street, between Market and Castro streets, where not already constructed.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 128 (New Series), granting The Healy-Tibbits Construction Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after May 28, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of a sewer with appurtenances in Baker and adjacent streets, and also an extension of 90 days' time from and after May 31, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of a bridge at San Jose and Mount Vernon avenues.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 129 (New Series), granting C. S. Harney an extension of ninety days' time from and after

May 31, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the work of grading, curbing and macadamizing H street from Twentieth to Twenty-eighth avenues, and an extension of 90 days' time from and after May 23, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the repaving of Fourth street between Howard and Freelon streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 130 (New Series), granting Carl Martin an extension of sixty days' time from and after May 31, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of a sewer in Noe street, between Thirtieth and Day streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Authorizing Appointment of Special Assistant to City Attorney.

Bill No. 26, Ordinance No. 23 (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the Appointment in place and stead of the present fourth assistant to the City Attorney of a special assistant to the City Attorney for the purpose of facilitating the acquisition of lands and the construction of permanent municipal buildings and improvements provided for in the bond issue, fixing the salary of said special assistant, and providing for the payment thereof out of the public building fund."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Regulation Sale of Narcotic Drugs.

Bill No. 27, Ordinance No. 24, (New Series), entitled, "An ordinance to provide against the evils resulting from the traffic in certain narcotic drugs, and to regulate the sale thereof; providing for the enforcement thereof, and penalties for the violation thereof."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Prohibiting Sale of Adulterated Drugs.

Bill No. 28, Ordinance No. 25 (New Series), entitled, "An ordinance to prohibit the sale of adulterated drugs and medicines; defining 'adulteration,' 'drug,' prohibiting the sale of methyl alcohol in drugs and medicines; providing for the enforcement thereof, and penalties for the violation thereof."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Presentation of Bills and Accounts.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$19,513.83, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 601 to 827 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Gallagher, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Loam and Clay, Park.

On motion of Supervisor Rea: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$684.80, to be made out of the Park Fund in payment to the San Francisco Construction Company for clay and loam furnished Golden Gate Park, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Street Repairs.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4823.54, to be made out of the General Fund to the City Street Improvement Company for bituminous repairs, etc., for Board of Public

Works, as per contract and bill rendered.

For bituminous repairs,	
May, 1906	\$2172.72
For bituminous repairs,	
May, 1906	922.22
Repaving in front of city property	1728.60
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	\$4823.54

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Hospital.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$640.36 to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to James A. Snook & Co. for groceries supplied to the City and County Hospital as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payments, Forage, Fire Department.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$8038.94 to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to the following firms for forage, etc., furnished the San Francisco Fire Department:

To Simon Erlanger, forage,	
April, 1906	\$1651.63
To Simon Erlanger, forage,	
May, 1906	1210.40
To Scott & Magner, forage,	
April, 1906	1586.61
To Scott & Magner, forage,	
May, 1906	1487.03
To Somer & Co., forage,	
May, 1906	586.57
To Thomas Morton, fuel,	
May 1906	736.95
To Thomas Morton, fuel,	
May, 1906	779.75
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Total	\$8038.94

As per contracts and bills rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Water Service.

On motion of Supervisor Phillips: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$6000, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the Spring Valley Water Company, as follows:

For sprinkling streets for	
March, 1906	\$500.00
For sprinkling streets for	
April, 1906	500.00
For water for use of hydrants for April, 1906...	2000.00
For water for use of public buildings for April, 1906.	500.00

For water for use of hy-
drants for May, 1906.... 2000.00
For water for use of public
buildings for May, 1906.. 500.00

Total\$6000.00

As per bills rendered.

Reducing Width Polk Street Side- walks.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 29; Ordinance No. ———
(New Series), entitled "Amending
Ordinance No. 1061, entitled 'Regu-
lating the Width of Sidewalks,' ap-
proved December 18, 1903, by adding
thereto a new section, to be num-
bered two hundred and twenty-four,"
the provisions of which fix the width
of sidewalks on Polk street, between
Post street and East street North, at
twelve (12) feet.

Reducing Width of Market, Turk, Larkin and Ninth Street Side- walks.

Also, Bill No. 30, Ordinance No.
——— (New Series), entitled,
"Amending Ordinance No. 1061, en-
titled, 'Regulating the Width of Side-
walks,' approved December 18, 1903,
by adding thereto four new sections,
to be numbered from two hundred
and twenty-six to two hundred and
twenty-nine, inclusive," the provi-
sions of which fix the width of side-
walks on Eddy street, between Mar-
ket street and Van Ness avenue at
twelve (12) feet; on Turk street, be-
tween Market street and Van Ness ave-
nue, at twelve (12) feet; on Larkin
street, between Sutter street and
Market street; at twelve (12) feet,
and on Ninth street, between Market
street and Division street at fifteen
(15) feet.

Full Acceptance—Streets.

Also, Bill No. 31, Ordinance No.
——— (New Series), entitled, "Pro-
viding for the full acceptance of the
roadways of Minnesota street, be-
tween the southerly line of Eigh-
teenth street and a line 433 feet
southerly from the southerly line of
Twentieth street, and of the crossing
of Fifth avenue and Lake street,
paved with bituminous rock."

Extension Time—Street Work.

Also, Resolution No. ——— (New
Series), Granting the San Francisco
Construction Company an extension
of ninety days' time from and after
June 6th, 1906, within which to com-
plete the contract for the work of

improving First avenue, between
Hugo street and Parnassus avenue.

Acquisition of Park Lands.

On motion of Supervisor Galla-
gher:

Resolution No. ——— (New Ser-
ies), Authorizing an expenditure of
four thousand seven hundred and
fifty dollars (\$4750.00) to be made
out of the the "Golden Gate Park
and Presidio Extension Acquisition
Account" of the Public Building
Fund in payment to Geo. B. Keane,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
of the City and County of San Fran-
cisco, said amount of four thousand
seven hundred and fifty dollars
(\$4750.00) to be paid by said Clerk
of the Board of Supervisors into the
care and custody of the Superior
Court of the State of California, in
and for the City and County of San
Francisco, for the use and benefit
of the defendant in action entitled
"The City and County of San Fran-
cisco, a Municipal Corporation, Plain-
tiff, vs. Mary Ellen Tanner, John C.
Tanner, Mary E. Tanner, John Doe,
Richard Roe, Jane Doe and Mary
Roe, Defendants, No. 99,585," rec-
ords of said Superior Court, in ac-
cordance with an interlocutory de-
cree rendered by said court in said
action, said payment to be in satis-
faction of judgment rendered.

In accordance with the judgment
rendered in said action the parcel of
land hereinafter described, with the
improvements thereon, is condemned
and appropriated for public use, the
fee thereof to be seized and vested
in the City and County of San Fran-
cisco, the plaintiff in said action,
upon payment by said plaintiff into
the Superior Court of the State of
California, in and for the City and
County of San Francisco, of the
sum of four thousand seven hundred
and fifty dollars (\$4750.00).

(Description of Property.)

Commencing at a point on the
easterly line of Fourteenth (14th)
avenue, distant thereon two hundred
and fifty (250) feet northerly from
the northerly line of Clement street;
running thence easterly parallel with
the northerly line of Clement street
one hundred and twenty (120) feet;
thence at right angles northerly fifty-
five (55) feet eleven (11) inches,
more or less, to the southerly line
of land owned by the San Francisco
Land Company; thence westerly

along the southerly line of land of said company one hundred and twenty (120) feet two and one-half ($2\frac{1}{2}$) inches to a point distant two hundred and eighty-seven (287) feet and one (1) inch southerly from the southerly line of California street; thence southerly along the easterly line of Fourteenth (14th) avenue sixty-two (62) feet eleven (11) inches to the point of commencement.

Being a part of Outside Land Block No. 169, as laid down and designated upon the official map of the City and County of San Francisco on file in the office of the Recorder of the said City and County of San Francisco.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Providing for Lighting Department of Election Quarters.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas: Resolution No. 131 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company be and is hereby requested to cause the electric current to be turned on in the room known as the gymnasium, at the Mission High School building, Eighteenth and Dolores streets, for purposes of lighting the Registration Office and Department of Elections.

Install Telephone Registrar's Office.

Also, Resolution No. 132 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company be and is hereby requested to install a telephone in the office of the Registrar, situate in the Mission High School at Eighteenth and Dolores streets.

LIQUOR LICENSE.

Message from Mayor, Relative to Imposition of Liquor License and to Regulations Concerning Sale of Liquors.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors—Gentlemen:

The solution of a grave and serious problem confronts you, and on account of its importance to you, to the interests affected and to the people of the city at large, I venture a few recommendations by way of

suggestion as to the line of policy proper to be pursued.

With the beginning of the new fiscal year on July first, it is advisable to begin the administration with what will soon be our new and greater San Francisco with a clean page as to the many matters of consequence, but perhaps none will be of as much significance and of so far reaching result as our official treatment of the liquor traffic. Before proceeding, however, I wish to state that we must approach the decision of this question in a sane and rational manner. We must not allow ourselves to be misled in judgment by the prejudiced appeals of the extremist, nor yet to be entirely carried away by the claims of sympathy.

In the face of the catastrophe which has come to us all with equal loss and with equal force, let us be just and fair to the individual affected, and at the same time have due regard to the best interests of the city which we shall now earnestly strive to restore and to rebuild, even beyond her former greatness, and in this great work we must rely on the earnest and sincere co-operation, under trying conditions, both of the liquor dealers of San Francisco and of those who have stood against them.

On the eighteenth of April, 1906, I issued a Proclamation closing the saloons and stopping the sale of liquor in San Francisco. The order then issued is yet in force. The result has had so marked and beneficial an effect as justly to be termed almost marvelous. It was an emergency measure, framed to meet a time of abnormal excitement under which men might easily have been carried away from their ordinary habits, and without consideration of results, have been led into excesses.

And I am pleased to say that no body of men concurred in the position I then assumed relative to this traffic, or more commended it, than the liquor dealers themselves; nor did any of our fellow citizens as a body more earnestly support me in maintaining the desired conditions aimed at, than did the very men whose property, income and livelihood were most injuriously affected thereby. Too much cannot be said in praise of their attitude. They have in this crisis shown themselves, as

a whole, to be law abiding and law respecting citizens, willing cheerfully to sacrifice their personal interests for the general public good, and that, too, in the face of great loss of property and of business, with many almost destitute.

As a result, however, of the conditions created, at least five thousand men engaged in that business or directly connected therewith, are still out of employment and unable to gain a living for themselves or their families. The situation in the city is now so well in hand, our people have acted so sensibly, that I am confident that it will produce no evil result to allow the men engaged in this line of trade to resume their business at an early day. I therefore suggest to you that from and after July 5th, 1906 (which is just after the commencement of the new fiscal year), the orders of my Proclamation be suspended, and the traffic be allowed to resume under certain qualifications and regulations (some of which as will be hereinafter specified may be only temporary until conditions shall have been fully settled, while others should be of permanent character).

And it is not to meet the temporary situation alone that I make these recommendations, but also to meet conditions which were formerly of a permanent nature. There is no doubt that there have been in this city, for its population, altogether too many saloons. The liquor men themselves would probably admit this; but prior to our great conflagration, in fairness and out of due regard to vested rights, I did not agree with the proposition to confiscate the small holders of any of them, especially of those who were the least prosperous. But the conditions having changed and the disaster having of itself wiped out many of the features and elements which formerly may have given plausible ground for opposition, let us now, like men, bravely and fearlessly meet the conditions which confront us, inspired only by a desire to do what is right and best, and trusting to the strong and just conscience and appreciation of the great majority of our people for their support and approval of our action.

First—Then, I recommend that the liquor traffic be allowed to resume on July 5th, 1906;

Second—That the license for selling liquor in San Francisco be fixed at five hundred dollars per annum, payable in quarterly installments of \$125.00 on the first days of July, October, January and April of each year;

Third—That all persons engaged in the sale of liquor in San Francisco be required to pay such license. This shall include the retail liquor dealer (popularly called the saloon-keeper), the French liquor store, the wholesale dealer, the brewer, the groceries, drugstores, and other business establishments which sell liquor in bulk or in sealed packages or otherwise (excepting liquors in less quantities than a half pint sold by druggists on prescriptions of reputable physicians personally known to them and on such prescriptions issued in good faith for medicinal purposes only; also including all restaurants, cafes, clubs, hotels, lodging houses, and other places of entertainment and of resort, where liquor is sold or served. A Charter amendment must, however, first be adopted to enable such license tax to be imposed on the sale of liquor in quantities of a quart or more; that until the further order of the Board of Supervisors, saloons shall be allowed to remain open only between the hours of six o'clock a. m. and eight o'clock p. m. and no liquor shall be sold or served after the last named hour, but this shall not be construed to prevent the service after such hour of liquor with meals in regularly established restaurants and hotels.

Fifth—That no license shall hereafter be issued to combination groceries and bars. Those who have formerly conducted such combined establishments or conducted either one or the other, or if they own and conduct both, there must be absolutely no communication between them, and the same must be conducted as though they belonged to different and unrelated owners; otherwise the liquor license will be forthwith revoked never to be restored;

Sixth—That no liquor license shall be granted to any one who is not a citizen of the United States, and who has not been a resident of this city for at least one year continuously next preceding the date of application for license (and if the holder

of a present license is not a citizen, he must immediately declare his intention to become one and prosecute his application diligently to naturalization, otherwise his license shall be revoked);

Seventh—That until further order of the Board of Supervisors, which shall not be less than three months, no transfer shall be granted to present holders of licenses from their present or former locations to new locations (except under special circumstances, as where the landlord, in view of this regulation or otherwise, shall attempt to raise their rent to exorbitant amounts, and in like cases, in which event they may, if the circumstances justify, be allowed to transfer to some neighboring location).

Eighth—That until further order of the Board of Supervisors, which shall not be less than three months, no transfer or quasi sale of recorded licenses shall be allowed from one person to another. This order, of course, not to apply to succession by inheritance, and kindred cases. And this regulation shall be maintained until the number of saloons shall have been reduced to about fifteen hundred (exclusive of hotels, restaurants and groceries selling sealed packages, etc.);

Ninth—No license shall be granted to open any new saloon within one hundred and fifty feet of any school or church;

Tenth—After normal conditions shall have been restored and the saloons shall be allowed to carry on business after eight o'clock p. m., I recommend as a permanent regulation that the license hereinabove provided for shall authorize the transaction of business from six o'clock a. m., and not later than one o'clock a. m., and that any person selling or serving liquor between the hours of one o'clock a. m. and six o'clock a. m. shall pay an additional license tax of \$250 per annum, or \$62.50 additional per quarter.

I have suggested these matters with the most friendly feeling toward all who have been or are engaged in the traffic affected, and with confidence that they will be not only satisfied but pleased with the result. It is my belief and hope that without injury or injustice and without hardship to the present holders, the

number of saloons in this city can, under these regulations, be gradually reduced to at least fifteen hundred.

And that the burden of license taxation shall not be wholly borne by the liquor interests, I shall propose at the proper time a Charter Amendment authorizing the imposition of a fair license tax on the other mercantile pursuits. I beg to advise you that the combined association of retail liquor dealers have by committees expressed their willingness to accept a license tax of \$400 per annum.

Feeling assured you will accept these suggestions in the spirit in which they are offered, I am,

Very respectfully yours,

E. E. SCHMITZ,

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

Dated, June 18, 1906..

Read and ordered filed.

Introduction of Bill.

Thereupon Bill No. 32, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Imposing a license on liquor dealers," and prepared in accordance with the recommendations of his Honor the Mayor, hereinbefore expressed, was introduced on question of passage for printing.

Motion.

Supervisor Boxton moved that all parties interested in the pending Bill be granted the privilege of the floor. So ordered.

Privilege of Floor.

Thereupon, Edward I. Wolfe, representing that San Francisco Grocers' Association addressed the Board opposing the passage of the Bill, alleging that the license and conditions therein imposed were onerous and exacting. His clients were willing to submit to a fair license, which he considered should not be over \$200 per annum.

Herbert I. Choyuski, representing the Liquor Dealers' Association and the Knights of the Royal Arch, opposed the passage of the Bill, alleging that statistics demonstrated that less arrests were made for drunkenness in San Francisco than in other cities wherein restrictive or prohibitive liquor laws were in operation.

Rev. J. E. White, representing the Ministerial Union of San Francisco,

said in part, that the body whom he spoke for believed that additional conditions and restrictions should be imposed other than those contemplated. They believed that a license of \$1000 per year should be exacted, that Sunday closing should be enforced, that saloons should be confined to a limited district, and that the grocery and bar should be banished. Although believing in absolute prohibition of the liquor traffic, they nevertheless recognized that in a seaport town, regulations were best obtainable.

Rev. Geo. Montgomery, Coadjuter Roman Catholic Archbishop of San Francisco, addressed the Board, stating that the Roman Catholic clergy around the bay met and adopted the six following regulations relative to the saloon traffic, and had resolved to advocate them.

First—That the license fee for the retail sale of liquor be not less than \$500 per annum.

Second—That the number of licenses be restricted to one for every five hundred of population.

Third—That saloons be closed on week days from twelve o'clock midnight until six o'clock a. m.

Fourth—That saloons be closed on Sundays, that is, from twelve o'clock midnight Saturday, until six o'clock a. m. Monday.

Fifth—That no saloon be located in the immediate neighborhood of a church or school.

Sixth—That the "grocery and saloon" be abolished, and that saloons be restricted to the sale of liquors.

Mrs. A. C. Bainbridge, representing the Women's Christian Temperance Union, addressed the Board, favoring any measure that will limit and restrict the liquor traffic.

Joseph S. Tobin appeared on behalf of the Catholic laymen of San Francisco, and advocated the passage of the Bill.

Edward I. Wolfe and **Herbert I. Choynski**, re-addressed the Board in answer to arguments of proponents of pending measure.

Question on Passage for Printing.

The Chair stated the question on passage for printing of Bill No. 32.

Motion to Amend Lost.

Supervisor McGushin moved that

the Bill be amended by fixing the license at \$400 per annum.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Boxton, McGushin—2.

Noes: Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Absent: Supervisors Furey, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock—4.

Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Coffey explained his vote by stating that he believed in supporting the recommendations and policy of his Honor the Mayor having been elected upon that promise.

Bill Amended.

Supervisor Coleman moved to amend the Bill by striking out the section relating to imposing an extra license of \$250 per annum on saloons kept open all night, that is, from one o'clock a. m. to six o'clock a. m.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Absent: Supervisors Furey, Harrigan, Kelly Mamlock—4.

Bill Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the Bill as amended to the following words and figures, was passed for printing by the following vote:

Bill No. 32, Ordinance No. — (New Series), "Imposing a license on liquor dealers."

Be it ordained by the people of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Every person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of selling spirituous, or malt, or fermented liquors, or wines, shall pay a license of five hundred dollars (\$500) per annum, payable in quarterly installments of one hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$125) on the first days of July, October, January and April of each year.

Sec. 2. The tax collector shall not issue any license under the provisions of this Ordinance unless the applicant therefor shall have first

obtained from the Board of Police Commissioners a permit to engage in business as a liquor dealer.

Sec. 3. All licenses issued under the provisions of this Ordinance shall be known and designated "Liquor Dealer's License."

Sec. 4. No licenses shall be issued to combination groceries and bars, or saloons, or other such places where liquor is sold to be consumed on the premises.

Sec. 5. No liquor license shall be granted to conduct any newly established place or saloon where liquor is sold to be consumed on the premises when the same is located within one hundred and fifty (150) feet of any school or church.

Sec. 6. No liquor license shall be issued to any person who is not a citizen of the United States and who has not been a resident of this city and county for at least one (1) year continuously next preceding the date of application for license, and it is further provided that if any holder of an existing liquor license is not a citizen he must immediately declare his intention to become one and prosecute his application diligently to naturalization, otherwise his license shall be revoked.

Sec. 7. No license shall be required by physicians, surgeons, apothecaries or chemists for any wines or spiritous liquors which they may use in the preparation of medicines or which may be dispensed by them in quantities less than one-half pint, when specified in a prescription of a duly licensed medical practitioner, for medical purposes only, and provided, also, that the same shall not be sold by the glass or be consumed on the premises of the vendor.

Sec. 8. Ordinance No. 92 (approved June 27, 1900), Ordinance No. 134 (approved August 21, 1900), and Ordinance No. 763 (approved May 28, 1903) are hereby repealed.

Sec. 9. Any person, firm or corporation who shall violate any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine not to exceed five hundred dollars (\$500) or by imprisonment in the county jail for not more than six (6) months, or

by both such fine and imprisonment.

Sec. 10. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after July 1, 1906.

Ayes: Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Longergan, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Excused from voting: Supervisors Boxton, McGushin—2.

Absent: Supervisors Furey, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock—4.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, the Board at the hour of 7:15 o'clock, adjourned to meet on Friday, June 22, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

FRIDAY, JUNE 22, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Friday, June 22, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met, pursuant to adjournment.

Calling the Roll.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of Bay Bottling Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of six horse-power in premises situate on northerly line of Eighteenth avenue south 225 feet easterly from R street south, the same to be used in a beer bottling establishment.

Of Spanish-American Food Company, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 80 horse-power in premises on southerly side of Erie street, between Mission and

Howard streets, and also to store and use crude petroleum on said premises.

Protest—Of M. Strudzinski and other property owners, against the establishment of a steam laundry on the southerly line of Post street, between Devisadero and Broderick streets.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petition—Of Esther Adler for permission to conduct a sanitarium and hospital at premises situate on northeast corner of Broadway and Franklin streets.

To the Outside Lands Committee.

Petition—Of Frank E. Powers, for the continuance of proceedings in pursuance of Ordinance of Land Grant No. 549, adopted April 9, 1906.

To the Joint Committee on Police and Finance.

Communication—From R. L. Gillchist & Co., renewing offer made previous to April 18, 1906, to sell to the City and County for the use of the Police Department, a gasoline launch valued at \$5000.

To the Special Committee on Water Supply.

Communication—From M. C. Faylor and John Neate, submitting offer to furnish a water supply for San Francisco from the North and Middle Forks of the Yuba River.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

A Communication from the Tax Collector, recommending the amendment of Ordinances Nos. 918 and 1710, relative to licenses imposed upon wagons and public passenger vehicles, by providing for the collection of said licenses for the calendar instead of the fiscal year, was received, read and referred to the License and Orders Committee.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee by Supervisor Rea, reported verbally in favor of the petition of the Ocean Shore Railway Company, to explode blasts at crossing of Sixteenth and Florida streets, which report was on motion adopted.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolution was passed for printing:

Permit to Blast—Ocean Shore Railway Company.

On motion of Supervisor Coffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), granting the Ocean Shore Railway Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts in the vicinity of Sixteenth street and Florida street, for the purpose of constructing a grade for its railway as called for in its franchise No. 1808, of the City and County of San Francisco.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$15,196.97, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 841 to 1077 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Walsh, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said Demands having been duly approved by the Finance Committee, and

On his motion, said Demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5 o'clock, adjourned to meet on Saturday, June 23, 1906, at 10:30 a. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

SATURDAY, JUNE 23, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Saturday, June 23, 1906, 10:30 a. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrington, Mamlock, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—11.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

A communication from the Cement Workers' Union, indorsing the provisions of the proposed "Building Law," relative to concrete and reinforced concrete construction, was received, read and ordered referred to the Public Buildings Committee.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock: Resolution No. — (New Series)—Granting the Dean Reversible Window Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and two boilers of 100 horsepower each in premises situate at No. 553 Brannan street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series)—Granting the Abner Doble Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 300 horsepower, in premises situate at South Beach, Block No. 36, bounded by Seventh, Hubbell, South and Sixteenth streets, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series)—Granting the Hayward Manufacturing Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 50 horsepower in premises situate at the northeast corner of Harrison street and Mariposa Terrace, for manufacturing purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series)—Granting Leonard & Morton

Lumber Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 75 horsepower in premises situate at Fifteenth street, 150 feet east of Dolores street, running thence northerly 350 feet, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series)—Granting Scott & Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of fifty (50) horsepower in premises situate at 137 feet west of Mason street, on the south side of Jefferson street, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Also, Resolution No. -- (New Series)—Granting the St. Francis Hospital permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of 4 horsepower in premises situate at No. 2828 California street, to be used for the purpose of heating water.

Also, Resolution No. -- (New Series)—Granting C. S. Laumeister permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 100 horsepower in premises situate 137 feet east of Mission street, to be used for milling purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series)—Granting Spanish-American Food Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 80 horsepower in premises situate at south side of Erie street, between Mission and Howard streets.

Oil Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series)—Granting C. S. Laumeister permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not to exceed fifteen hundred (1500) gallons in premises situate on Erie street, 137 feet east of Mission street, for the purpose of storing crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boiler on said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series) — Granting the Spanish-American Food Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank at premises situate

south side of Erie street, between Mission and Howard streets, for the purpose of storing crude petroleum, to be used as fuel under boiler on said premises.

Full Acceptance Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 33, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the full acceptance of the roadway of California street, between the westerly line of First avenue and the westerly line of Third avenue, and of the roadway of the crossing of Frederick and Clayton streets, paved with bituminous rock."

Extensions of Time, Street Work

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series)—Granting Owen McHugh an extension of ninety days' time from and after July 5, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the work of improving Fulton street, from Twenty-fifth avenue to Thirty-fifth avenue by grading, the construction of redwood curbs and rock gutters thereon, and the macadamizing of the roadway and the sidewalk thereof.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series)—Granting D. J. O'Connor an extension of ninety days' time from and after June 10th, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of sewers in China avenue, between Paris street and Edinburgh street.

Municipal Tax Levy 1906-7.

Passed for Printing.

Supervisor Gallagher introduced the following Bill, which was, on his motion, passed for printing, by the following vote:

Bill No. 34, Ordinance No. — (New Series), providing revenue for municipal purposes for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1907.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Under and in pursuance of the provisions of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco and in conformity thereto there is hereby levied a tax for City and County purposes for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1907, on all property, both real and personal, in the City and County of San Francisco, excepting such property as is

by law exempt from taxation, the sum of one dollar thirty-two cents and two mills (\$1.322) on each one hundred dollars (\$100) valuation of said taxable property upon the assessment books of said fiscal year, which sum of one dollar thirty-two cents and two mills (\$1.322) on each one hundred dollars (\$100) valuation is hereby apportioned to the funds known and designated as follows:

General Fund	\$.8588
Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund .....	.0092
Common School Fund ....	.1170
Library Fund .....	.0150
Park Fund .....	.0700
Hospital Bond Redemption and Interest Fund .....	.0145
Sewer Bond Redemption and Interest Fund .....	.1000
School Bond Redemption and Interest Fund .....	.0529
Street Bond Redemption and Interest Fund .....	.0241
County Jail and Additions to Hall of Justice Bond, Redemption and Interest Fund .....	.0105
Library Bond Redemption and Interest Fund .....	.0253
Children's Playgrounds Bond Redemption and Interest Fund .....	.0134
Golden Gate Park and Presidio Extension Bond, Redemption and Interest Fund .....	.0060
Mission Park Bond Redemption and Interest Fund..	.0053

\$1.3220

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Mamlock, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—11.

Absent—Supervisors Duffey, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Wilson—7.

THE BUILDING LAW.

Special Order.

The Special Order of Business, namely, consideration of "The Building Law," fixed for this morning's session, was proceeded with.

Supervisor Coleman stated that the revised, printed Bill would ad-

pear in the Evening Post, the Official Newspaper, on Monday, June 25, 1906.

On motion of Supervisor Coleman, parties interested in the provisions of "The Building Law" were granted the privilege of the floor.

Privilege of Floor.

J. C. Galloway, Structural Engineer and member of Building Laws Committee of General Committee of Forty on Reconstruction of San Francisco, addressed the Board, opposing the limitation restricting the height of Class "A" buildings to one and one-half times the width of the street on which they front. He asked that the original recommendation of the Committee, that of two and one-half times the width of the street, be restored.

J. C. Sims addressed the Board, opposing re-inforced concrete type of construction, unless the specifications were changed and the height of Class "B" buildings limited to a few stories. He also urged the amendment of the Bill by removing the height limitations from Class "A" buildings.

Announcement.

Whereupon, the Chair declared the hearing closed, and announced that "The Building Law" would be published and in readiness for final passage at the meeting of Monday, July 2, 1906.

NEW BUSINESS (Resumed).

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Clerk File Budget With Auditor.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. 133 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That in accordance with Section 4, Chapter 1, Article III, of the Charter, the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby directed to transmit to, and file with, the Auditor, Ordinance No. 15 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors, approved by his Honor the Mayor, June 21, 1906, the same being the Budget of Municipal Expenditures of the City and County for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1907.

Refund, De Haro Street Change of Grade Assessment.

Also, Resolution No. 134 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Auditor and the Treasurer be and they are hereby directed to respectively audit and pay out of the general fund of the fiscal year 1905-6, to Albert Goldman, the sum of \$68.58, being a refund of monies paid the Tax Collector, June 16, 1904, in the matter of the De Haro street change of grades assessment, which assessment was subsequently held to be null and void by the Superior Court, in and for the City and County of San Francisco, State of California.

The Tax Collector is hereby requested to cause said sum of \$68.58 to be transferred from his "Special Deposit Account" in the Treasury to the General Fund of the City and County for the fiscal year 1905-6.

Amateur Boxing Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Sanderson: Resolution No. 135 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Central Athletic Club, Inc., be and it is granted permission to hold an amateur boxing exhibition on the afternoon of July 4th, 1906, provided said exhibition is conducted subject to the provisions of Ordinance No. 624, of the Board of Supervisors.

Clerk Advertise Proposals Light Streets and Public Buildings.

On motion of Supervisor Davis: Resolution No. 136 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals to light the streets and outlying districts with gas and electricity and to furnish light and power to the public buildings and offices of the City and County, for the year ending June 30, 1907, in accordance with specifications therefor prepared by the Artificial Light Committee of this Board.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Relating to Restoration of Dismantled Public Buildings.

Supervisor Coffey stated that his attention had been called to the fact that several of the floors of the Hall of Justice could be restored with but little expense, and be used to accommo-

date the City Prison and the general offices of the Police Department.

Motion.

Supervisor Coffey moved that the Public Buildings Committee be requested to investigate immediately the condition of the Hall of Justice, and to report to the Board at once whether the same can be restored to use.

So ordered.

Motion.

Supervisor Bixton moved that the Public Buildings Committee be directed to investigate the condition of all public buildings, excepting schools, and to report to the Board.

So ordered.

Adopted.

Supervisor Walsh introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Granting Commissary Department the Use of Certain Lands in House of Refuge Tract.

Resolved, That the Commissary Department of the City and County of San Francisco be and is hereby granted the exclusive use, for the purposes of said Department of the following described lot of land, and the old buildings thereon, to wit:

Commencing at the northeast corner of Phelan and Ocean avenues, and running thence easterly along the rail fence on the north side of Ocean avenue to the point where said rail fence joins a picket fence; thence at right angles northerly to a rail fence at the south side of a lane; thence westerly along said fence and lane to the corner of said fence, at the point where said lane turns to the south; thence westerly, in a direct line to Phelan avenue, at a point 640 feet north of Ocean avenue; thence southerly along Phelan avenue, to the northeast corner of Phelan and Ocean avenues, and place of commencement.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Walsh, as Resolution No. 137 (New Series).

Providing for Repaving and Resewing Certain Streets from Bond Moneys.

Under suspension of the rules, Supervisor Walsh introduced the fol-

lowing Resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendations of the Board of Public Works (filed June 6 and 11, 1906), the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside and appropriated out of the proceeds of the sale of bonds of the City and County for the purposes hereinafter specified, to wit:

Out of the "Street Construction Account of the Public Building Fund"—

For the resurfacing and reconstruction of bituminous rock pavement, reconstruction of basalt rock pavement and brick catch-basins on Fourteenth street, between Valencia street and Harrison street\$2,000.00

Out of the "Sewer Construction Account of the Public Building Fund"—

For the reconstruction and repair of sewers, on Fourteenth street, between Valencia and Harrison streets\$17,000.00

Out of the "Street Construction Account of the Public Building Fund"—

For repaving the roadway of Van Ness avenue, from 150 feet south of Vallejo street to Union street; repaving with basalt blocks Vallejo street, for 150 feet on each side of Van Ness avenue, and repaving Green street for 50 feet on the easterly side of Van Ness avenue, and the reconstruction of six (6) catch-basins with culverts\$21,500.00

Out of the "Sewer Construction Account of the Public Building Fund"—

For the repair of brick sewers at Van Ness avenue and Vallejo street.....\$8,500.00

Out of the "Sewer Construction Account of the Public Building Fund"—

For repaving Valencia

street, with asphalt, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets\$8,500.00

Out of the "Sewer Construction Account of the Public Building Fund"—

For repairing sewers in Valencia street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets\$2,500.00

The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and empowered to expend said aforementioned amounts for the purposes indicated.

Amendment.

Supervisor Coffey moved to amend the Resolution by striking out all reference to Van Ness avenue and contiguous streets.

So ordered.

Adopted.

Whereupon, said Resolution, as amended, was **adopted** as Resolution No. 138 (New Series).

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 12:55 o'clock, adjourned.

GEO B. KEANE, Clerk.

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MONDAY, JUNE 25, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, June 25, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session, with Supervisor Wilson in the Chair.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called, and the following Supervisors were noted present: Supervisors Coleman, Furey, Nicholas, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—6.

No quorum.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, at the hour of 2:35 o'clock, the Board adjourned to meet on Wednesday, June 27, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Wednesday, June 27, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Coffey, Duffey, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh—10.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Rea was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of the meetings of June 4, June 5, June 7, June 8, and June 9, 1906, were read and approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were pre-

sented, received and referred as follows:

TO THE ARTIFICIAL LIGHT COMMITTEE.

Petitions—Of J. F. Gibbon, M. D., for the re-lighting of the electric arc lamp on California street, between Gough and Octavia streets.

Of E. C. Leffingwell, for the erection and maintenance of an electric arc light at Golden Gate avenue and Polk street.

Of Residents of Haight street, between Baker and Stanyan streets, for the erection of arc lights at the corners of Haight and Clayton streets and Haight and Belvedere streets.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of E. J. Burns, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of twenty horsepower in bottling establishment at No. 815 Eddy street, and also to erect and maintain a tank of 1500 gallons capacity for the purpose of storing therein crude oil to be used as fuel under boiler in said premises.

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petitions—Of Geo F. Heuer, for refunding to him of the taxes alleged to have been paid in duplicate for the fiscal year 1905-6, on property situate on west side of Taylor street, between Lombard and Green streets.

Of Morris Levy, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$39.78 duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

Of Dora Leisen, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$9.43, an alleged erroneous payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

Of G. Marsili, for the refunding to

him of the sum of \$102.72, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

Of F. Nelson, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$21.50, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

Also, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$4.22, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of Grau Packing Co., for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of eight horsepower in premises southwest corner of Seventeenth and Dolores streets, the same to be used for heating water for washing bottles.

Of Starlight Laundry for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of five horsepower, in premises No. 750 Stanyan street.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petition—Of W. F. McNutt, M. D., for permission to erect and maintain a hospital at the northwest corner of Steiner and O'Farrell streets.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petitions—Of John Tuttle, for permission to blast for grading and building purposes in Blocks Nos. 238-239, Horner's Addition.

Of McNab & Smith, for permission to construct and maintain spur tracks on Seventh street, between King and Bryant streets, and also on Brannan street for a distance of 12 feet easterly from Seventh street.

File.

The following matters were received, read and placed on file, to wit:

Memorial—Of Alva Udell et al, praying that the City and County of San Francisco intervene in action instituted by said memorialists, to restrain the Finance Committee of the Relief and Red Cross Funds from disbursing the Relief Fund.

Bond—Of Ocean Shore Railway Company, in sum of \$5000 with Aetna Indemnity Company of Hartford, Conn., as surety thereon, approved by his Honor the Mayor and filed with the Board of Supervisors, in the matter of blasting permit at Sixteenth and Florida streets.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Board of Education, requesting that the sum of \$15,000 be set aside out of the "School Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, for the purpose of enabling the equipment of the Polytechnic High School, authorized to be constructed under the bond issues for public improvements.

From the Recorder, submitting statement of fees collected for registering marriages during the first quarter of 1906.

To the Joint Committee on Fire and Public Buildings.

From the Chief Inspector of the Chimney Inspection Service, recommending the amendment of the existing ordinance relating to chimney inspection, by requiring all chimneys, whether used or unused at present, to be repaired and inspected.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

From the Recorder, with requisition for four drop gaslights for use in copyists' quarters.

To the Joint Committee on Public Buildings and Finance.

From the Judges of the Superior Court, in and for the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, requesting that provision be made to compensate the Congregation Sherith Israel for rental of premises northeast corner of California and Webster streets and used by said Court for court rooms and chambers.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of performing the following street work, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part upon private property, to wit:

1. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the westerly side of Clayton street, between the southerly line of Parnassus avenue, produced, and a line 325 feet southerly therefrom.

2. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on both sides of Eighth avenue, between I and J streets.

3. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on both sides of Eighth avenue, between H and I streets.

4. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the southerly side of H street, between the easterly line of Eighth avenue and the westerly line of Thirteenth avenue.

5. That the roadway of Fourth street from Channel to Freelon streets, be repaved with basalt blocks on a concrete foundation with asphaltic grouting, except on the Railroad Company's right of way, and also that an underground conduit system for the City's telegraph wires be constructed in Fourth street, from Howard to Channel streets, and that a bulkhead be constructed at Fourth and Channel streets.

Also, recommending that grades be changed and established at certain points and elevations on Twenty-third street, between the westerly line of Iowa street and a line 90 feet westerly therefrom.

Also, recommending that John Spargo be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after June 22, 1906, within which to complete his contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on Tenth avenue, between A street and Point Lobos avenue.

Relating to Clearing of Debris from Washington Street.

A petition of Joseph Nyland, for the repair and clearing of the roadways of Washington street and Merchant street easterly from Montgomery street, was received, read, and

On motion of Supervisor Coffey, the subject matter thereof referred to the Board of Public Works, with the recommendation that the debris be cleared at once from Washington street.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Nicholas, presented a report which was received, read and ordered placed on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore

passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payment, Loam and Clay, Park.

Resolution No. 139 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$684.80, to be made out of the Park Fund, in payment to the San Francisco Construction Company, for clay and loam furnished Golden Gate Park, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Duffey, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh—10.

Authorizing Payment, Street Repairs.

Resolution No. 140 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4823.54, to be made out of the General Fund to the City Street Improvement Company for bituminous repairs, etc., for Board of Public Works, as per contract and bill rendered.

For bituminous repairs,	
May, 1906	\$2172.72
For bituminous repairs,	
May, 1906	922.22
Repaving in front of city property	1728.60
	<hr/> \$4823.54

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Duffey, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh—10.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Hospital.

Resolution No. 141, (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$640.36 to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to James A. Snook & Co. for groceries supplied to the City and County Hospital as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Duffey, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh—10.

Authorizing Payments, Forage, Fire Department.

Resolution No. 142 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$8038.94 to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to the following firms for forage, etc., furnished the San Francisco Fire Department:

To Simon Erlanger, forage	
April, 1906	\$1651.63
To Simon Erlanger, forage,	
May, 1906	1210.40

To Scott & Magner, forage,	
April, 1906	1586.61
To Scott & Magner, forage,	
May, 1906	1487.03
To Somer & Co., forage,	
May, 1906	586.57
To Thomas Morton, fuel,	
May, 1906	736.95
To Thomas Morton, fuel,	
May, 1906	779.75

Total \$8038.94

As per contracts and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Duffey, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh—10.

Reducing Width Polk Street Sidewalks.

Bill No. 29, Ordinance No. 26 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled 'Regulating the Width of Sidewalk,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered two hundred and twenty-four," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Polk street, between Post street and East street North, at twelve (12) feet.

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Duffey, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh—10.

Reducing Width of Market, Turk, Larkin and Ninth Street Sidewalks.

Bill No. 30, Ordinance No. 27 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the Width of Sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto four new sections, to be numbered from two hundred and twenty-six to two hundred and twenty-nine, inclusive," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Eddy street, between Market street and Van Ness avenue at twelve (12) feet; on Turk street, between Market street and Van Ness avenue, at twelve (12) feet; on Larkin street, between Sutter street and Market street, at twelve (12) feet; and on Ninth street, between Market street and Division street at fifteen (15) feet.

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Duffey, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh—10.

Full Acceptance—Streets.

Bill No. 31, Ordinance No. 28 (New

Series), entitled, "Providing for the full acceptance of the roadways of Minnesota street, between the southerly line of Eighteenth street and a line 433 feet southerly from the southerly line of Twentieth street, and of the crossing of Fifth avenue and Lake street, paved with bituminous rock."

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Duffey, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh—10.

Extension Time—Street Work.

Resolution No. 143 (New Series), Granting the San Francisco Construction Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after June 6th, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the work of improving First avenue, between Hugo street and Parnassus avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Duffey, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh—10.

Acquisition of Park Lands.

Resolution No. 144 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of four thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$4750.00) to be made out of the "Golden Gate Park and Presidio Extension Acquisition Account" of the Public Building Fund in payment to Geo. B. Keane, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, said amount of four thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$4750.00), to be paid by said Clerk of the Board of Supervisors into the care and custody of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco, for the use and benefit of the defendant in action entitled, "The City and County of San Francisco, a Municipal Corporation, Plaintiff, vs. Mary Ellen Tanner, John C. Tanner, Mary E. Tanner, John Doe, Richard Roe, Jane Doe and Mary Roe, Defendants, No. 99,585," records of said Superior Court, in accordance with an interlocutory decree rendered by said court in said action, said payment to be in satisfaction of judgment rendered.

In accordance with the judgment rendered in said action the parcel of land hereinafter described, with the improvements thereon, is condemned and appropriated for public use, the fee thereof to be seized and vested in the City and County of San Fran-

cisco, the plaintiff in said action, upon payment by said plaintiff into the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco, of the sum of four thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$4750.00).

(Description of Property.)

Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Fourteenth (14th) avenue, distant thereon two hundred and fifty (250) feet northerly from the northerly line of Clement street; running thence easterly parallel with the northerly line of Clement street one hundred and twenty (120) feet; thence at right angles northerly fifty-five (55) feet eleven (11) inches, more or less, to the southerly line of land owned by the San Francisco Land Company; thence westerly along the southerly line of land of said company one hundred and twenty (120) feet two and one-half (2 1/2) inches to a point distant two hundred and eighty-seven (287) feet and one (1) inch southerly from the southerly line of California street; thence southerly along the easterly line of Fourteenth (14th) avenue sixty-two (62) feet eleven (11) inches to the point of commencement.

Being a part of Outside Land Block No. 169, as laid down and designated upon the official map of the City and County of San Francisco on file in the office of the Recorder of the said City and County of San Francisco.

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Duffey, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh—10.

Action Deferred.

Authorizing Payment, Water Service.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$6000, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the Spring Valley Water Company, as follows:

For sprinkling streets for March, 1906	\$500.00
For sprinkling streets for April, 1906	500.00
For water for use of hydrants for April, 1906	2000.00
For water for use of public buildings for April, 1906..	500.00
For water for use of hydrants for May, 1906	2000.00
For water for use of public buildings for May, 1906...	500.00
Total	\$6000.00

As per bills rendered, heretofore passed for printing, was taken up, and

On motion of Supervisor McGushin, laid over one week, and the Clerk directed to notify representatives of the Spring Valley Water Works to appear.

Presentation of Bills and Accounts.

Demands upon the Treasury, amounting to \$64,099.36 and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 1081 to 1771 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Walsh, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Duffey, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh—10.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing.

Authorizing Payment—April Lighting Service.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$15,111.09, to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to San Francisco Gas and Electric Company, for lighting streets and public buildings during month of April, 1906, as per bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Forage and Fuel, Fire Department.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3208.71, to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to the following named, for forage and fuel delivered to Fire Department during March, 1906, viz:

Scott & Magner, forage.....	\$1359.71
Simon Erlanger, forage	1235.75
Thos. Morton, fuel	613.25
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	\$3208.71

Boiler Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting T. H. Elkington

permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of five horsepower in premises situate at east side of Polk street, between Golden Gate avenue and Turk street.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting P. Cassou permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of four horsepower in premises situate at No. 2507 Clay street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Providing for Repair of Mission Police Station.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas: Resolution No. 145 (New Series), as follows: Whereas, the matter of the investigation of the condition of the various public buildings of this City and County was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings of this Board for its report and recommendation thereon; therefore be it

Resolved, That the sum of one thousand (\$1000) dollars be and the same is hereby set aside out of the surplus funds for the repair of the Seventeenth street Police Station, heretofore damaged by earthquake, in accordance with the recommendation of said Committee on Public Buildings.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted

Supervisor Lonergan introduced the following Resolution, and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Install Electric Arc Light.

Resolved, that the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company be and is hereby requested to cause an electric arc light to be erected and maintained at the intersection of Golden Gate avenue and Polk street, the same to be suspended from a wire in the center of the intersections of said streets.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Lonergan, as Resolution No. 146 (New Series).

Adopted.

following Resolution, and moved the following Resolution, and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Install Telephone Commissary Department.

Resolved, That the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company be and is hereby requested to install one telephone in Mowry's Hall, Grove and Laguna streets, for use of the Commissary Department of the City and County, provision for which department was made in the Budget of the fiscal year 1906-1907.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Nicholas as Resolution No. 147 (New Series).

Relating to Municipal Telephones.

Motion.

Supervisor Coffey moved that the Public Buildings Committee inquire into the matter of the number of telephones now in use by the municipality, and report thereon to the Board.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, at the hour of 4:45 o'clock, the Board adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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Board of Supervisors

MONDAY, JULY 2, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, July 2, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors—Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of the Meetings of June 11, June 13 and June 18, 1906, were read and approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were received, read and referred as follows:

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petition—Of Fernando Nelson, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$14.39, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

To the Finance Committee.

Petition—Of Leo. H. Sussman, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$25.00, alleged to have been paid the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors for advertising charges in connection with the issuance of City deeds, the publication of which was suspended.

Communication—From the United Railroads of San Francisco, regarding

the matter of the payment to the City and County of the percentage of gross receipts required by the conditions of its franchises.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of Somers & Co., for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler; also, an oil tank for storing crude petroleum, at premises situate on Irwin street, near Sixth street.

Of California Mill Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler, in premises situate on Bryant street, 27½ feet east of Fifth street, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Of California Card Manufacturing Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler, at premises northwest corner of Potrero avenue and Mariposa street, the same to be used in the process of manufacturing cardboard.

Of Davis Bros., for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler at premises No. 1003 Golden Gate avenue, the same to be used for heating rubber for automobile tires.

Of M. Pickthall, for permission to erect and maintain a boiler of eight horsepower at premises No. 220 Fremont street, the same to be used in furnishing power for heating purposes.

Of Yerba Buena Preserving Co., for permission to erect and maintain a boiler of twenty-five horsepower on the east line of Mason street, 112 feet 6 inches southerly from the southerly line of Francisco street, the same to be used in the process of canning fruits.

Of H. A. Sartori, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler

at No. 484 Haight street, the same to be used for heating water with which to clean dairy utensils.

Of Bay Shore Improvement Company, for the erection of an engine house on Leland avenue near San Bruno avenue.

Protest—Of Property Owners, against the establishment of a Chinese laundry on Sacramento street, between Locust and Spruce streets.

Of Property Owners and Residents, against the erection of a planing mill on Second street, between Brannan and Townsend streets.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of J. C. O'Connor & Co., for permission to maintain an undertaking parlor at No. 726 Turk street.

Of the Market Street and Eureka Valley Improvement Club, calling attention to a protest filed with the Board of Supervisors against the establishment of a stable on Sanchez street, near Fifteenth street.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petition—Of Atchison, Topcka and Santa Fe Railway Company, for permission to lay and maintain two spur tracks on Sixteenth street, between Hubbell and South streets.

Of Southern Pacific Company, to lay and maintain spur tracks on Townsend street and on Bluxome street.

Protest—Of M. A. Laveaga and other property owners, against the placing of statuary of "California Municipal Group," on Van Ness avenue, between Fell and Oak streets.

To the Joint Committee on Streets and Fire.

Communication—From C. S. Capp, submitting opinions in regard to monument lines, fire protection for warehouse district, and raising of grades south of Market street.

File.

The following matters were received, read and ordered placed on file, to wit:

Communications—From the Point Lobos Improvement Club, endorsing action of the Board in permitting the resumption of the operation of the Geary street railroad.

From the California State Board of Trade, calling attention to the forthcoming Fair of the State Agricultural Society.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Printing and Salaries Committee.

From the County Clerk, with requisition for one copy of "Cowdery's New Forms," 1905 edition.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

From the City Attorney, submitting suggestions relative to amending "The Building Law," by permitting the erection of temporary wooden structures within the fire limits, for a period of two years.

From the Coroner, with requisition for telephone at residence of autopsy surgeon J. C. Kucich.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, submitting report of City Engineer in matter of application of Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company for permission to convert its cable lines into an overhead electric trolley system.

Also, recommending that Williams, Belser & Co. be granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after July 6, 1906, within which to complete the contract for re-curbings and repaving Mission street, between Fifth and Sixth streets.

Also, recommending that the City Street Improvement Company be granted the following extensions of time to complete its contracts for repaving and re-curbings of streets: June 27, 1906, to complete the street work on California street, between Mason street and Jones street.

Ninety days' time from June 27, 1906, to complete the contract for the repaving and re-curbings of Waverly place, between Clay and Sacramento streets.

Ninety days' time from and after July 13, 1906, to complete contract for the re-curbings and repaving of Larkin street, between Hayes and the northerly line of McAllister street.

Ninety days' time from and after July 6th, 1906, within which to complete contract for the sewerage of Fourth street, from Howard street southerly.

File.

A Communication from the Auditor,

acknowledging the receipt of the original "Budget" of 1906-7, as finally adopted and approved, was received, read and ordered placed on file.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Committees by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file.

Fire Committee by Supervisor Mamlock (Acting).

Public Buildings Committee by Supervisor Nicholas.

Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee by Supervisor Rea.

Report of Chairman of Public Buildings Committee on Condition of Public Buildings.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco,

Gentlemen: Regarding the condition of the City Hall and the Hall of Justice, I desire to say that as a result of the earthquake and fire, the former is absolutely useless, and should be removed, the tower alone being the only portion of the building resisting both earthquake and fire to a very considerable extent, particularly the structural steel construction, the built-up girders, eye beams and many of its columns having the grain destroyed through the agency of fire, nullifying the usefulness, strength or bearing capacity of the steel. Any and all steel thus affected in this or any other building must be removed, if that degree of safety characteristic of private and particularly of public buildings, is to be maintained. Hence, whether the site formerly occupied by the City Hall, now a complete wreck, is to be the future home of the officials of this city, or a new location ordered by the people, it is a fact that no temporary structure or arrangements should be made for rehabilitation of the officials of this city in the old building known as the new City Hall, now a mass of ruins.

Public safety and an enlightened public policy demand the removal of that mass of ruins and poor workmanship, as well as material used, both of which constitute only a portion of the corruption practiced in the construction of the building to which the people of San Francisco has fallen heir.

The same is true of the Hall of

Justice, as far as damage by earthquake and fire, all save a few of the carrying or bearing girders destroyed by fire having been bent or warped, the result of being heated, destroying the grain and weakening the steel.

The walls of the Hall of Justice have stood the test fairly well, and in fact, when compared with other walls, stood remarkably well, but to relieve the building from the steel destroyed, the destruction or complete weakening of those walls now standing would have to be accomplished. Hence, the removal of all of the old building known as the Hall of Justice should be accomplished.

The basement of the Hall of Justice being filled with water, renders it impossible as well as impracticable to consider carefully the condition of the foundation.

In many instances material has been removed from both the City Hall and Hall of Justice, material quite valuable within itself, and the undersigned would recommend that the matter be looked into and the proper control exercised over the disposal of all material.

The Veterinary Hospital needs slight repairs, and can with little attention be put in a perfectly safe condition, to resume as of old, entire operations therein.

The same is true of the store house, wherein the booths used for voting have been housed.

The undersigned recommends that the matters drawn to the attention of this Board, in connection with the buildings hereinbefore mentioned, be given attention, so that time may be taken by the forelock, and vast sums of money saved the tax payers of this city.

F. P. NICHOLAS.

Read and filed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Liquor License.

Bill No. 32, Ordinance No. 29, (New Series), "Imposing a license on liquor dealers."

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Excused from voting—Supervisors

Boxton, McGushin, Nicholas—3.

Absent—Supervisors Davis, Duffey, Sanderson—3.

Permit to Blast—Ocean Shore Railway Company.

Resolution No. 148 (New Series), Granting the Ocean Shore Railway Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts in the vicinity of Sixteenth street and Florida street, for the purpose of constructing a grade for its railway as called for in its franchise No. 1808, of the City and County of San Francisco.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 149 (New Series), Granting the Dean Reversible Window Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and two boilers of 100 horsepower each in premises situate at No. 553 Brannan street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 150 (New Series), Granting the Abner Doble Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 300 horsepower, in premises situate at South Beach, Block No. 36, bounded by Seventh, Hubbell, South and Sixteenth streets, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 151 (New Series), Granting the Hayward Manufacturing Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 50-horsepower in premises situate at the northeast corner of Harrison street and Mariposa Terrace, for manufacturing purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gal-

lagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 152 (New Series), Granting Leonard & Morton Lumber Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 75-horsepower in premises situate at Fifteenth street, 150 feet east of Dolores street, running thence northerly 350 feet, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 153 (New Series), Granting Scott & Co. permission during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of fifty (50) horsepower in premises situate at 137 feet west of Mason street, on the south side of Jefferson street, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 154 (New Series), Granting the St. Francis Hospital permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of 4-horsepower in premises situate at No. 2828 California street, to be used for the purpose of heating water.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 155 (New Series), Granting C. S. Laumeister permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 100-horsepower in premises situate 137 feet east of Mission street, to be used for milling purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 156 (New Series), Granting Spanish-American Food Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 80-horsepower in premises situate at south side

of Erie street, between Mission and Howard streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 157 (New Series), Granting C. S. Laumeister permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not to exceed fifteen hundred (1500) gallons in premises situate on Erie street, 137 feet east of Mission street, for the purpose of storing crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boiler on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 158 (New Series), Granting the Spanish American Food Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank at premises situate on south side of Erie street, between Mission and Howard streets, for the purpose of storing crude petroleum, to be used as fuel under boiler on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Full Acceptance Streets.

Bill No. 33, Ordinance No. 30 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the full acceptance of the roadway of California street, between the westerly line of First avenue and the westerly line of Third avenue, and of the roadway of the crossing of Frederick and Clayton streets, paved with bituminous rock."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Extensions of Time, Street Work.

Resolution No. 159 (New Series), Granting Owen McHugh an extension of ninety days' time from and after July 5, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the work of improving Fulton street, from Twenty-fifth ave-

nue to Thirty-fifth avenue, by grading, the construction of redwood curbs and rock gutters thereon, and the macadamizing of the roadway and the sidewalk thereof.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—16.

No—Supervisor Kelly—1.

Resolution No. 160 (New Series), Granting D. J. O'Connor an extension of ninety days time from and after June 10th, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of sewers in China avenue, between Paris street and Edinburgh street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

The Building Law.

Bill No. 17, Ordinance No. 31 (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the construction, erection, enlargement, raising, alteration, repair, removal, maintenance, use and height of buildings: regulating character and use of materials in and for buildings; establishing fire limits, and repealing all ordinances in conflict with this ordinance."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Presentation of Bills and Accounts.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$12,718.80, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 1776 to 2008, inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Gallagher, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Advertising Charges on "The Building Law."

On motion of Supervisor Coffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2862.30, to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to The Evening Post Publishing Company for advertising "The Building Law," as per contract and bill rendered.

Boiler Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting E. J. Burns permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of twenty (20) horsepower in premises situate at No. 815 Eddy street, the same to be used for heating water in a bathing establishment.

Oil Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting E. J. Burns permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank at premises situate at No. 815 Eddy street, for the purpose of storing crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Extension of Time—Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting John Spargo an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after June 22, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on Tenth avenue, between A street and Point Lobos avenue.

Regulating Storage of Gasoline for Automobiles.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock:

Bill No. 36, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the storage of gasoline or any product of petroleum to be used for the operation of mobiles, automobiles, or locomobiles, and repealing Ordinance No. 897."

Relating to Chimney Inspection.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas:

Bill No. 37, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance amending Sections 1, 2 and 8, of Ordinance No. 11 (New Series), prohibiting the use of chimneys until in-

spection thereof is made by the Board of Public Works; providing for such inspection and for appointment by said Board of chimney inspectors, and authorizing the issuance of certificates of inspection, fixing the amount of fees and providing for the payment thereof."

Providing for Removal of Fire Debris.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 38, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "To provide for the removal of debris resulting from the destruction of buildings upon lots, sidewalks and streets within the City and County of San Francisco; defining a nuisance, providing for its abatement, and fixing a penalty for the violation thereof."

Referred.

Granting Franchise to Home Telephone Company of San Francisco.

Supervisor Coleman introduced Bill No. 39, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting to the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco a franchise to construct, maintain and operate a telephone system in the City and County of San Francisco, and to construct, maintain and operate through, along, under and in the streets, alleys and highways of said City and County, poles, wires, cables, underground conduits and other appliances for the purpose of transmitting sound, signals and conversation by means of electricity or otherwise," which was, on his motion, referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Adopted.

Intention to Change Grades at Twenty-Third and Iowa Streets.

Supervisor Rea introduced Resolution No. — (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations in Twenty-third street, between Iowa street and a line parallel with and ninety feet westerly from the westerly line of said Iowa street, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed June 25, 1906, and directing said Board of Public Works to determine the district to be assessed for benefits and to make an estimate of cost of making said change of grades, including an estimate of the damages which may result therefrom or be caused thereby.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor

Rea, as Resolution No. 161 (New Series).

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Demands Referred.

Supervisor Boxton presented a demand of Marsden Manson, in sum of \$1500, for engineering services rendered in reporting upon the availability of the Bay Cities Water Company's and the Sierra Nevada Water and Power Company's sources of water supply; and also a claim of Isabel Burke in sum of \$75 for typewriting services rendered in connection with said report.

Ordered referred to the Finance Committee.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions, presented and considered under suspension of the rules, were adopted:

Undertaker's Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. 162 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That J. C. O'Connor & Co. be and are hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to establish and maintain an undertaking parlor at premises situate No. 726 Turk street.

Install Telephone at Residence of Superintendent of Hydrants.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas: Resolution No. 163 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company be and is hereby requested to install a telephone in the residence of Henry D. Rice, Captain of the Hydrant Department of the San Francisco Fire Department, at No. 828 Treat avenue.

Hospital Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. 164 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to M. McNutt, M. D., to establish and maintain a hospital, situate at the northwest corner of Steiner and O'Farrell streets **Relating to Liquor License Regulation.**

Supervisor Harrigan inquired whether or not the inhibition in the

liquor license ordinance, against the establishment of saloons within 150 feet of a church or school, militated against the re-issuance of permits to those formerly established within such limits.

His Honor the Mayor replied that the Ordinance specified the words "newly established" with reference to this matter, and was not intended to operate against the re-opening of saloons at their former place of business, despite their location.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4 o'clock, adjourned, to meet on Thursday, July 5, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

THURSDAY, JULY 5, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Thursday, July 5, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called, and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors—Boxton, Coffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petition—Of Anna R. Leonard, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$7.21, taxes paid under the erroneous and illegal levy of 1902 for hospital and schools.

To the Finance Committee.

Communication—From Morris Kariski & Levy Co., offering to lease to the City and County, on reasonable terms, apartments in building now in course of construction on north side of Market street opposite Seventh street.

To the Fire Committee.

Petition—Of Dehmlow's Cleaning and Dyeing Works, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of sixteen horsepower, in premises No. 551 First avenue.

To the Judiciary Committee.

Petition—Of Joseph Buckemeyer, for permission to occupy and use as a residence site, city property at corner of Dore and Brannan streets.

To the Printing and Salaries Committee.

Communication—From Mrs. Jas. H. French, of San Antonio, Texas, offering to sell volumes of Municipal Reports of San Francisco from 1879 to 1892.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petitions—Of Reinhart Lumber and Planing Mill Co., for permission to blast for grading purposes at southeast corner of Seventeenth and Kansas streets.

Of Former Employees of the Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company, to grant the application of said company to convert its cable lines into an overhead electric trolley system.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Light Committee.

From the Department of Elections, requesting that lighting facilities by night, as well as by day, be furnished its office in the Mission High School.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

From the Board of Election Commissioners, urging that immediate steps be taken to repair the warehouse of their department, located at Eighteenth and Division streets.

From the Board of Fire Commissioners, with statement of equipment of said office.

From the Board of Health, submitting inventory of equipment of its general office.

From the Coroner, submitting list of articles forming equipment of his office.

From San Francisco Law Library, stating that the articles of equipment and furniture of the Law Library were destroyed by fire, and have not been replaced, with the exception of law books.

File.

Reports of County Clerk on commitments from Juvenile Court for month of May, 1906, were received, read and ordered placed on file.

MESSAGE FROM MAYOR.

Relating to Site for Temporary City Hall.

The following Message from his Honor the Mayor was received and read:

"San Francisco, Cal., July 5, 1906.
"To the Honorable, The Board of Supervisors,

"Gentlemen: Mr. Andrew B. McCreery, who is well known for his devotion to the public interests at all times, and who contributed over \$40,000 for a Branch Library, has offered me as a site for the temporary City Hall the northeast corner of Eighth and Mission streets, 275 x 275 feet, with the understanding that the City pay just the taxes. As this is in close proximity to the old City Hall, and it is very desirable to have the Municipal offices near that location, I recommend to your Honorable Board the acceptance of Mr. McCreery's offer, and also that you advertise for bids for the construction of a temporary wooden building to house all the Municipal offices excepting the Police Courts and the Police Department.
Yours respectfully,

"E. E. SCHMITZ, Mayor.

Motion.

Supervisor Boxton moved that the offer be accepted and that the thanks of the Board be extended to Mr. McCreery.

So ordered.

Reference of Offer.

Thereupon, the Chair referred the matter of providing ways and means and of determining the character of construction of the building proposed to be erected, to the Finance and to the Public Buildings Committees.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Relating to Filling in of Precita Valley Swamp.

Under this Order of Business, Supervisor Kelly requested that a report be made in the matter of the filling in of Precita Valley Swamp with debris from the burnt district, which matter was referred to the Hospital and Health and Street Committees.

Supervisor Wilson stated that the

question had been given due consideration by the Committees, but inasmuch as private property was to be filled as well as public streets, the matter was referred to the City Engineer to ascertain whether or not the owners of the property affected, objected to their lands being filled, and that up to the present time no report had been received.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payment, April Lighting Service.

Resolution No. 165 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$15,111.09 to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to San Francisco Gas and Electric Company, for lighting streets and public buildings during month of April, 1906, as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Authorizing Payments, Forage and Fuel—Fire Department.

Resolution No. 166 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3208.71 to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to the following named for forage and fuel delivered to Fire Department during March, 1906, viz:

Scott & Magner, forage.....	\$1359.71
Simon Erlanger, forage	1235.75
Thos. Morton, fuel	613.25

\$3208.71

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 167 (New Series), Granting T. H. Elkington permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of five horsepower in premises situate at east side of Polk street, between Golden Gate avenue and Turk street.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly,

Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Resolution No. 168 (New Series) Granting P. Cassou permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of four horsepower in premises situate at No. 2507 Clay street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Authorizing Payment, Water Service.

Resolution No. 169 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$6000, to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to the Spring Valley Water Company, as follows:

For sprinkling streets for	
March, 1906	\$ 500.00
For sprinkling streets for	
April, 1906	500.00
For water for use of hydrants	
for April, 1906	2000.00
For water for use of public	
buildings for April, 1906...	500.00
For water for use of hydrants	
for May, 1906	2000.00
For water for use of public	
buildings for May, 1906....	500.00
	\$6000.00

As per bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Presentation of Bills and Accounts.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$18,736.07, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 2015 to 2113 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Gallagher reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—11.

NEW BUSINESS.**Passed for Printing.**

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payments, Supplies for Park.

On motion of Supervisor Rea, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3162.75, to be made out of the Park Fund, in payment to the following firms for supplies for Park Commissions, viz:

J. L. Vermeil, forage, May, 1906	\$1462.79
Spring Valley Water Co., water, April, 1906	636.76
United Railroads of San Francisco, transportation of sweepings, April, 1906	1063.20

\$3162.75

Authorizing Payments, Maintenance of Minors.

On motion of Supervisor Harrigan: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing the following amounts to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to the following institutions for maintenance of minors committed from the Juvenile Court, viz:

Mt. St. Joseph's Infant Orphan Asylum, March, 1906 ..	\$ 577.60
Mt. St. Joseph's Infant Orphan Asylum, April, 1906 ..	550.80
Mt. St. Joseph's Infant Orphan Asylum, May, 1906 ..	530.00
Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, six months to June 30, 1906	1531.01
St. Vincent's Orphan Asylum, March, 1906	695.00
St. Vincent's Orphan Asylum, April, 1906	690.00
St. Vincent's Orphan Asylum, May, 1906	666.33

\$5240.74

St. Vincent's Orphan Asylum, June, 1906	660.00
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\$5900.74

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Bay Bottling Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of four (4) horsepower in premises situate

at northerly line of Eighteenth avenue south, 225 feet easterly from R street south, the same to be used in a bottling establishment.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Palace Hotel Laundry Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect an engine and boiler of fifty (50) horsepower at premises situate on Post street, between Devisadero and Broderick streets, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Oil Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Palace Hotel Laundry Company permission to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 1500 gallons in premises situate on Post street, between Devisadero and Broderick streets, for the purpose of storing crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers.

Relating to Wagon Licenses.

On motion of Supervisor Kelly:

Bill No. 40, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending section 2 of Ordinance No. 918, entitled, 'Imposing a License on Trucks and Wagons,' approved June 30, 1903, and repealing Ordinance No. 1538," the provisions of which require the collections of said licenses for the calendar instead of the fiscal year.

Relating to Public Passenger Vehicle Licenses.

Also, Bill No. 41, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 6 of Ordinance No. 1710, entitled, 'Imposing a License on Public Passenger Vehicles and on Drivers or Motormen of Such Vehicles,' approved December 28, 1905," the provisions of which require the collection of said licenses for the calendar instead of the fiscal year.

Application of Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company to operate its cable lines by means of an overhead electric trolley system.

REPORT OF STREET COMMITTEE.

The following Report was received and read:

To the Honorable, The Board of Supervisors,

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Streets, Sewers and Parks, to which

was referred by the Committee of the whole Bill No. —, Ordinance No. —, Authorizing and directing the Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company to operate all of its several cable, steam and horse railway lines, so far as grades will permit, by means of the so-called trolley system, respectfully report the Bill No. —, Ordinance No. —, with the recommendation that the same do pass with the following amendment.

Section 5. Where grades on the lines of the present franchise will not permit the operation of cars by electricity, the said Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company is hereby directed and required to operate said cars by other power or means of propulsion. in order that the franchise may be operated as a continuous and uninterrupted lines as franchises along the entire route of its existing franchises, and the fulfillment of the requirements of this section is a condition precedent to the operation of its lines and franchises by electricity.

Your Committee on Streets, Sewers and Parks also report that the Presidio and Ferries Railway Company have made transfer arrangements with the United Railroads at Polk and Union streets, and that matter of transferring at Fillmore and Union streets is now being discussed, and the Presidio and Ferries Railway Company hope shortly to be able to effect a transfer at these points.

Regarding the Communication to the Board of Supervisors from Mrs. Anna S. Reynolds, concerning the location of the tracks on Union street, between Hyde and Larkin streets, the Presidio and Ferries Railway Company will place the new tracks of the electric company in the center of the street.

Respectfully,
L. A. REA,
JENNINGS PHILLIPS,
J. J. FUREY.

Introduction of Bill.

Thereupon, Supervisor Rea, introduced Bill No. 42, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Pre-

sidio and Ferries Railroad Company to operate all of its several cable, steam and horse railway lines, so far as the grades will permit, by electricity, by means of the so-called overhead trolley system."

Motion.

Supervisor Boxton moved the reference to the Committee of the Whole of the Report of the Street Committee and of Bill No. 42.

Amendment.

Supervisor Gallagher moved to amend, that the entire matter be considered by the Committee of the Whole Board, sitting on Tuesday, July 10, 1906, at 11 a. m.

Substitute Motion Lost.

Supervisor Kelly moved as a substitute, that the matter be referred to the Committee on Public Utilities.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Harrigan, Kelly—3.

Noes—Supervisors Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—9.

Excused from Voting—Supervisor Coleman—1.

Amendment Carried.

Whereupon, the question being taken on Supervisor Gallagher's amendment, the motion was

Carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Proposals.

Proposals for furnishing supplies to the various institutions of the City and County were received, opened, read and

On motion of Supervisor Wilson, referred to the Committee of the Whole Board, said Committee to sit on Tuesday, July 10, 1906, at 10 a. m.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, at the hour of 4:05 o'clock, the Board adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.



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MONDAY, JULY 9, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, July 9, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors: Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sander-son, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of June 20, June 22 and June 25, 1906, were read and approved.

The reading of the Journals of subsequent meetings was ordered dispensed with.

Presentation of Petitions Filed With the Board.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petitions: Of Chas. S. Brundage, Administrator of the Estate of Mary A. Brundage, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$11.58, taxes paid on property alleged to be exempt from taxation.

To the Finance Committee.

Petitions: Of J. B. Reite, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$7.00, paid the Board of Public Works for

a building permit, which permit was not used.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions: Of W. C. Premus, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 80 horsepower at Powell and North Point streets, the same to be used for ———

Of Residents of the Bay Shore District, for the erection and equipment of a fire engine house at Leland avenue, near San Bruno avenue.

Of Ostrander & Co., for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 20 horsepower at premises No. 113-115 Mission street, the same to be used in process of millwright.

Of A. Peninow, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler at premises No. 3407 Sacramento street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

To the Committee on Capital and Labor.

Communication: From the International Union of Steam Engineers, recommending the passage of an ordinance regulating the operation of steam engines and boilers.

To the Outside Lands Committee.

Petitions: Of Angie C. Brehan, for a grant of land in Western Addition Block No. 196.

Of O. D. Baldwin, for an amended City deed to a portion of Outside Land Block No. 425.

Of George U. Hind, for an amended City Deed to a portion of Western Addition Block No. 491.

Of Peter A. Coleman, and Augusta Coleman, his wife, for an amended City Deed to a portion of Potrero Nuevo Block No. 119.

Of Romain McKenzie, for an

amended City Deed to a portion of Outside Land Block No. 971.

Of Salvatore Quartararo, for an amended City Deed to a portion of Western Addition Block No. 97.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

Protest: Of the Eureka Valley Improvement Club, against the increase of fees for building permits.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Petition: Of Property Owners and Residents of Van Ness avenue, that proceedings be taken for the sale of a street railroad franchise on said avenue.

Of Property Owners and Residents, urging the early operation of a car line on Larkin and Polk streets, and on Pacific avenue.

Communication: From Melville S. Topnitz, requesting the withdrawal of name of F. Topnitz, from among signatures of petitioners for sale of a street railroad franchise on Van Ness avenue.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Commissioners.

Protest: Of Wm. W. Ellis and other property owners against the granting of a franchise to the Western Pacific Railway Company over or across Twentieth street, Twenty-first street, Missouri and Connecticut streets.

Communication: From Herbert E. Law, in relation to the condition of the sewer break at Van Ness avenue and Vallejo street.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the following Officials submitting inventories of City and County personal property in their possession July 1, 1906, to wit: Auditor, District Attorney, Justices' Clerk, Recorder, Tax Collector.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the City Attorney, submitting copy of opinion rendered the Board of Public Works, that it is not within the province of said Board to issue a new assessment for street work,

when the original has been destroyed by fire.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of performing the following street work, the expense of which is to be assessed in whole or in part upon private property, to wit:

1. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on both sides of Palm avenue between Euclid avenue and California street.

2. That Eighteenth avenue between Point Lobos avenue and Clement street be graded to official line and grade, that redwood curbs be constructed thereon and that the roadway and sidewalks thereof be macadamized.

3. That a 15-inch sewer with appurtenances be constructed in Eighteenth avenue between Clement street and a point 150 feet northerly therefrom.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Fourth avenue between Point Lobos avenue and A street, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Waller street between Clayton and Cole streets, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Seventh avenue between Point Lobos avenue and Clement street, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of California street between Parker avenue and First avenue, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending that grades be changed and re-established at certain points and elevations on Golden Gate avenue, on Jones street and on Leavenworth street.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$100,000 be set aside and appropriated out of the proceeds of the sale of sewer bonds, for the purpose of constructing the southerly portion of the East Potrero intercepting sewer and appurtenances.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$1600 be set aside and appropriated out of the sale of street bonds, for the purpose of constructing an underground conduit system on Mission street between Fifth and Sixth streets.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$1500 be set aside for the completion

of the parking of Dolores street from Fifteenth to Seventeenth streets.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Fire Committee by Supervisor Duffey presented a report, which was received, read and placed on file.

The Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee by Supervisor Rea, presented a report, which was received, read and placed on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Granting Franchise to Home Telephone Company of San Francisco.

Bill No. 39, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting to the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco a franchise to construct, maintain and operate a telephone system in the City and County of San Francisco, and to construct, maintain and operate through, along, under and in the streets, alleys and highways of said City and County, poles, wires, cables, underground conduits and other appliances for the purpose of transmitting sound, signals and conversation by means of electricity or otherwise," heretofore referred to the Judiciary and returned by said Committee with the recommendation that the same do pass, was taken up.

Report of Judiciary Committee.

The following Report was presented and read:

San Francisco, July 9th, 1906.
To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred Bill No. 39, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting to The Home Telephone Company of San Francisco a franchise to construct, maintain and operate a telephone system in the City and County of San Francisco, and to construct, maintain and operate through, along and under and in the public streets, alleys and highways of said City and County, poles, wires, cables, underground conduits and other appliances for the purpose of conducting sound, signals and conversation by means of electricity or otherwise," beg leave to state that they have duly considered said Bill and compared the provisions thereof with those of the advertisement inviting proposals for the sale of a telephone franchise, and

find that said Bill agrees in all parts to said advertisement under which a franchise was awarded and sold to the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco.

Your Committee therefore recommends that said Bill No. 39 be ordered passed for printing and that a period of 90 days elapse between its introduction and final passage as required by law.

In the matter of the petition of Jos. Buchemeyer for permission to occupy and use as a residence, city property at corner of Dore and Brannan streets, your committee recommends that said petition be denied, inasmuch as this property forming as it does a part of the unallotted Pueblo lands lying in the bed of what was formerly known as Mission creek, any permission to use the same might result in adverse possession detrimental to the city's interests.

Respectfully submitted.

DANIEL G. COLEMAN.

J. J. FUREY.

J. J. PHILLIPS.

JAMES L. GALLAGHER.

ANDREW M. WILSON.

Motion.

Supervisor Coleman moved the adoption of the report of the Judiciary Committee, and the passage for printing of Bill No. 39.

Request for Privilege of Floor Denied.

Hugo K. Asher, attorney representing Dr. Ferdinand Butterfield, appeared and requested that he be granted the privilege of the floor for the purpose of stating that he had filed a bid for the franchise under consideration.

Objection being made, the privilege of the floor was denied the gentleman and the Chair ruled that the bid could not be received.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, the question being taken, said Report was adopted, and Bill No. 39, Ordinance No. — (New Series) passed for printing by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Phillips, Wilson—10.

Noes—Supervisors Boxton, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—6.

Absent—Supervisors Davis, Duffey—2.

Disposition of Telephone Bid.

Subsequently, during the Proceedings, Supervisor Wilson moved the reference of the bid of Dr. Ferdinand Butterfield for a telephone franchise, together with the accompanying check of \$27,000, to the Public Utilities Committee.

So ordered.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$28,284.80, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 2121 to 2474 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Walsh, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said Demands having been duly approved by the Finance Committee, and

On his motion, said Demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sander-son, Walsh, Wilson—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Referred.

Supervisor Rea introduced the following Resolutions, which were ordered referred to the Finance Committee:

Authorizing Payments, Repairs of Streets.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3094.94 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to City Street Improvement Company for bitumen repairs of streets as follows:

As per award No. 6446.... \$2172 72
As per award No. 6476.... 922 22

Total \$3094 94

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$22,986.97. to be made out of the "Sewer Construction Account" of the

Public Building Fund in payment to the Eureka Construction Company for constructing sewer in California street, between Twenty-fourth and Thirty-first avenues, as per contract and bill rendered.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolutions were Extensions of Time on Street Work. passed for printing:

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting William Belser & Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after July 6, 1906, to complete the contract for recurb and repaving Mission street, between Fifth and Sixth streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to secure materials to complete the work within the time originally fixed by the Board of Public Works.

Also, Resolution No. —, (New Series), Granting the City Street Improvement Company the following extensions of time to complete its contracts for street work, to wit:

Ninety days' time from and after June 27, 1906, to complete the street work on California street, between Mason street and Jones street.

Ninety days' time from June 27, 1906, to complete the contract for the repaving and recurb of Waverly place, between Clay and Sacramento streets.

Ninety days' time from and after July 13, 1906, to complete contract for the recurb and repaving of Larkin street, between Hayes and the northerly line of McAllister street.

Ninety days' time from and after July 6, 1906, within which to complete contract for the sewerage of Fourth street, from Howard street southerly.

These extensions are granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to secure the material to complete the contracts within the time originally fixed by the Board of Public Works.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the California Card Manufacturing Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an

engine and boiler of twenty-five (25) horsepower in premises situate at N. W. corner Potrero avenue and Mariposa street, the same to be used in the process of manufacturing cardboard.

Also, Resolution No. —, (New Series), Granting the California Mill Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of two hundred (200) horsepower in premises situate on south line of Bryant street, 275 feet east of Fifth street, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Davis Bros. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of four (4) horsepower in premises situate at No. 1003 Golden Gate avenue, the same to be used for cooking rubber for automobile tires.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Ostrander & Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of twenty (20) horsepower in premises situate at No. 113-115 Mission street, to be used in millwright work.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting M. Pickthall permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of eight (8) horsepower in premises situate at No. 220 Fremont street, the same to be used for heating purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Yerba Buena Preserving Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of twenty-five (25) horsepower in premises situate on easterly line of Mason street, 112½ feet southerly from Francisco street, the same to be used for canning fruit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Somers & Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of one hundred (100) horsepower in premises situated on Hubbell street, 275 feet west of Sixth street, the same to be used to supply power for a feed mill and hay compressing plant.

Oil Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Somers & Company,

Series), Granting Somers & Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank of 2500 gallons capacity at premises situate on Hubbell street, 275 feet west from Sixth street, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boiler on said premises.

Referred.

Board of Health Remove Persons Afflicted With Contagious or Infectious Diseases.

Supervisor Wilson introduced Bill No. 43, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing and empowering the Board of Health of the City and County of San Francisco, to remove persons afflicted with contagious or infectious diseases," which was,

On his motion, ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Judiciary and Hospital and Health.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Hospital Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. 170 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Esther Adler be and is hereby granted permission; during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to establish and maintain a sanatorium and hospital at premises situate on the northeast corner of Broadway and Franklin streets, in accordance with Ordinance No. 823 of the Board of Supervisors, approved June 11, 1903.

Providing for Repaving and Resewering of Portions of Van Ness Avenue, Green Street and Vallejo Street.

On motion of Supervisor Rea: Resolution No. 171 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendations of the Board of Public Works (filed June 6 and 11, 1906), the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside and appropriated out of the proceeds of the sale of bonds of the City and County for the purposes hereinafter specified, to wit:

Out of the street construction account of the Public Building Fund—
For the repaving of the roadway with

asphalt of Van Ness avenue, from 150 feet south of Vallejo street to Union street; repaving with basalt blocks Vallejo street for 150 feet on each side of Van Ness avenue, and repaving Green street for 50 feet on the easterly side of Van Ness avenue and the reconstruction of six (6) catch-basins with culverts, \$21,500.00.

Out of the sewer construction account of the Public Building Fund—For the repair of brick sewers at Van Ness avenue and Vallejo street, \$2500.00.

The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and empowered to expend said aforementioned amounts for the purposes indicated.

Proposals.

A proposal for printing, publishing and distributing the Law and Motion Calendar of the Superior Court, the Daily Trial Calendar, the Decisions of the Supreme Court and of the District Court of Appeals, and the Journal of Proceedings of the Board of Supervisors, for the year ending June 30, 1907, was received, opened, read and

Ordered referred to the Committee of the Whole Board.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Relating to Condition of Buildings in Burnt District.

Motion.

Supervisor Coleman moved that the Chair appoint a Special Committee of three to act in conjunction with the City Engineer and the City Architect to determine the matter of the safety or unsafety of tall buildings damaged by the earthquake and subsequent fire.

Amendment.

Supervisor Wilson moved as an amendment, that the question of the advisability of appointing such a Committee and of pursuing such a policy, be referred to the Public Buildings Committee.

So ordered.

Adopted.

Relating to Repaving of Twenty-fourth Street Between Howard Street and Potrero Avenue.

Supervisor Kelly introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration:

So ordered.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby requested to prepare and transmit to the Supervisors an estimate of the cost of the repaving of the roadway of Twenty-fourth street, between Howard street and Potrero avenue, with asphalt on a concrete foundation and binder course, together with the recommendation of said Board for the doing of said work, provision therefor having been made in the bond issue for public improvements.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Kelly, as Resolution No. 172 (New Series).

Board to Sit in Committee of Whole.

On motion, the Board resolved to sit in Committee of the Whole on Tuesday, July 10, 1906, at the hour of 10 a. m., for the purpose of considering the annual bids for supplies and such other matters as have been heretofore referred.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, at the hour of 5:15 o'clock, the Board adjourned, to meet on Thursday, July 12, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

THURSDAY, JULY 12, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Thursday, July 12, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Reading of the Journals of previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

Presentation of Petitions Filed With the Board.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petitions: Of Martha M. Vasquez,

for the refunding to her of the sum of \$19.02, taxes erroneously collected on personal property for the fiscal year 1905-6.

Of Albert Wilford, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$6.20, duplicate payment of taxes for the year 1905.

To the Finance Committee.

Petition: Of J. A. Waldteuffel, as agent for fifteen hundred claimants (more or less) for the refunding to him of the amounts specified in claims filed on behalf of said claimants, for the refunding of moneys paid under the illegal and invalid hospital and school tax of 1902.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions: Of L. and E. Emanuel, for permission to erect and maintain engines and boilers of 200 horsepower in premises situate on lot located on the west line of Twelfth street, between Mission and Howard streets, the same to be used in the operation of a plant for manufacturing bank, bar and office fixtures.

Of S. Lehman, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 10 horsepower in premises No. 2341 Greenwich street, the same to be used in connection with a beer bottling establishment.

Of H. R. Newbauer, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 35 horsepower in premises situate on east line of Seventh street, 175 feet south of Howard street, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

To the Judiciary Committee.

Petition: Of Mrs. Sarah H. Washburn, with claim in sum of \$50, for compensation for destruction of fence around her property, lots 23 and 24, Market Street Homestead Association, 80 feet wide by 200 feet deep, by parties unknown, between April 18th and April 21st, 1906.

To the License and Orders Committee.

Petition: Of Joseph Musto Estate Co., for the refunding to it of the sum of \$5.60, being a proportionate amount of unused hotel license tax from April 18 to June 30, 1906.

To the Police Committee.

Petition: Of John Ford, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$5.00,

on alleged erroneous exaction of fees by the Poundkeeper, for release of one horse impounded July 9, 1906.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Communication: From R. Herman, requesting that the Presidio and Ferries Railroad Co. be required to operate an evening service on that portion of its line running from Baker and Greenwich streets to Harbor View.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petition: Of Harbor Warehouse Company, for permission to lay and maintain a spur track across Kearny street, between Bay and North Point streets.

Of Metropolitan Improvement Co., for permission to lay and maintain a spur track along Division and Eighth streets, connecting the Southern Pacific Company's tracks with the corner of Eighth and Harrison streets.

Of Southern Pacific Co., for permission to erect and maintain a line of poles and cross-arms and to string wires thereon for telegraph service over and along Brannan street from Tenth to Second streets, on Second street from Brannan to Howard streets, on Fourth street from Brannan to Townsend street, and on Fifth street from Brannan to Townsend street.

Of Globe Grain and Milling Co., for permission to explode blasts for grading purposes on Chestnut street, between Montgomery and Kearny streets.

Of M. J. Blackman and other Property Owners and Residents on Devisadero street to change the name of said street to that of Funston avenue.

Protest: Of Zoeth S. Eldridge, against changing the name of Devisadero street to that of Funston avenue.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Chief of the Department of Electricity for allowance for claim for typewriting machine taken during the catastrophe.

From Probation Committee of Juvenile Court, that provision be made for the erection of a temporary detention home for juveniles on land situate on Harrison street, between

Tenth and Eleventh streets, formerly occupied by the Cleveland School.

Reports of Committees.

Committee of Whole.

San Francisco, July 12, 1906.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen: The Committee of the Whole sitting in the matter of consideration of annual bids received for furnishing supplies to institutions of the City and County, and also in the matter of the application of the Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company to convert its cable lines into an overhead electric trolley system so far as the grades will permit, begs leave to report progress thereon and asks leave to sit again on Tuesday, July 17, 1906, at 11 a. m.

The Committee reports that it has considered the bids of the Recorder Printing and Publishing Company to print, publish and distribute to Municipal and Court Departments, the Law and Motion Calendar, the Daily Trial Calendar, the Decisions of the Supreme Court and the District Court of Appeals and the Journal of Proceedings of the Board of Supervisors, and to recommend that the lump bid of \$275, for all of said publications be accepted.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES L. GALLAGHER,

Chairman of the Committee of the Whole.

Read and adopted.

Hospital and Health Committee.

Relating to Stable Permits.

The following reports were presented and read:

Majority Report.

San Francisco, Cal., July 12th, 1906.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: The majority of your Committee on Hospital and Health, to which was referred Bill No. 12, Ordinance No. —, (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 148 of Ordinance No. 645, 'Regulating the construction, erection, enlargement, raising, alteration, repair and use of buildings,' approved February 5, 1903," would respectfully state that the said section of the above ordinance being the old building ordinance, has since been amended by the passage and approval of Ordinance No. 31, known as "The Building Law," but

nevertheless contains practically the said section relative to permits for stables, to accommodate more than six horses; the number of the section having been changed to No. 320 of said Ordinance No. 31.

The majority of your Committee has carefully considered the bill as referred, and finds it necessary to amend same to fit the section in the new building ordinance.

We therefore present a redraft of said bill on account of the new ordinance having passed since the reference to said Committee, that the same may read "to amend Section 320 of Ordinance No. 31 (New Series)," and respectfully recommend the passage of the same, amending the above section by striking therefrom the words "Will be granted upon presentation of the written consent of the owners of property within 200 feet of the stable," and inserting the words "Must be obtained from the Board of Supervisors."

ANDREW M. WILSON,
J. J. FUREY.

Minority Report.

San Francisco, Cal., July 12th, 1906.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: As a minority of your Committee on Hospital and Health, to which was referred the matter of Bill No. 12, amending Section No. 320 of Ordinance No. 31 (New Series), relative to the granting of permits for the stabling of more than six (6) horses, I respectfully report adversely to the passage of said bill amending the above section, for the reason that I believe that the residents and property owners should be allowed to exercise their consent or disapproval in permitting the erection of a stable contiguous to their property and homes, and further in recognition of the great number of petitions and protests of the various improvement clubs of the city.

THOMAS F. LONERGAN,
Chairman.

Motion.

Supervisor Duffy moved the reference of the entire matter to the Judiciary Committee.

Amendment.

Supervisor Coffey moved to amend that the Committee of the Whole Board be substituted for the Judiciary

Committee and that the matter be made a Special Order of Business for Tuesday, July 17, 1906, at 10 a. m.

So ordered.

Motion.

Supervisor Lonergan moved that the Clerk be directed to notify all parties interested in the matter of issuance of stable permits to appear at said meeting.

So ordered.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

Authorizing Payment, Sewer Construction.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$22,986.97, to be made out of the "Sewer Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund in payment to the Eureka Construction Company for constructing sewer in California street, between Twenty-fourth and Thirty-first avenues, as per contract and bill rendered, heretofore referred to the Finance Committee and returned by said Committee with the recommendation that the same do pass, was taken up, and

On motion, passed for printing.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes and numbered as follows, to wit:

Municipal Tax Levy 1906-7.

Bill No. 34, Ordinance No. 32 (New Series), providing revenue for municipal purposes for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1907.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Authorizing Payment, Advertising Charges on "The Building Law."

Resolution No. 173 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2862.30, to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to The Evening Post Publishing Company for advertising "The Building Law," as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Boiler Permit.

Resolution No. 174 (New Series),

Granting E. J. Burns permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of twenty (20) horsepower in premises situate at No. 815 Eddy street, the same to be used for heating water in a bathing establishment.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Oil Permit.

Resolution No. 175 (New Series), Granting E. J. Burns permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank at premises situate at No. 815 Eddy street, for the purpose of storing crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Extension of Time, Street Work.

Resolution No. 176 (New Series), Granting John Spargo an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after June 22, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on Tenth avenue, between A street and Point Lobos avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Regulating Storage of Gasoline for Automobiles.

Bill No. 36, Ordinance No. 33 (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the storage of gasoline or any product of petroleum to be used for the operation of mobiles, automobiles, or locomobiles, and repealing Ordinance No. 897."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Relating to Chimney Inspection.

Bill No. 37, Ordinance No. 34 (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance amending Sections 1, 2 and 8, of Ordinance No. 11 (New Series), prohibiting the use of chimneys until inspection thereof is made by the Board of Public Works; providing for such inspection and for appointment by said Board of chimney inspectors, and authorizing the issuance of certificates

of inspection, fixing the amount of fees and providing for the payment thereof."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Providing for Removal of Fire Debris.

Bill No. 38, Ordinance No. 35 (New Series), entitled, "To provide for the removal of debris resulting from the destruction of buildings upon lots, sidewalks and streets within the City and County of San Francisco; defining a nuisance, providing for its abatement, and fixing a penalty for the violation thereof."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Authorizing Payments, Supplies for Park.

Resolution No. 177 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3162.75 to be made out of the Park Fund, in payment to the following firms for supplies for Park Commissioners; viz:

J. L. Vermeil, forage, May, 1906	\$1462.79
Spring Valley Water Co., water, April, 1906	636.76
United Railroads of San Francisco, transportation of sweepings, April, 1906	1063.20

\$3162.75

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Authorizing Payments, Maintenance of Minors.

Resolution No. 178 (New Series), Authorizing the following amounts to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to the following institutions for maintenance of minors committed from the Juvenile Court, viz:

Mt. St. Joseph's Infant Orphan Asylum, March, 1906...	\$ 577.60
Mt. St. Joseph's Infant Orphan Asylum, April, 1906...	550.80
Mt. St. Joseph's Infant Orphan Asylum, May, 1906...	530.00
Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, six months to June 30, 1906	1531.01
St. Vincent's Orphan Asylum, March, 1906	695.00
St. Vincent's Orphan Asylum, April, 1906	690.00

St. Vincent's Orphan Asylum, May, 1906	666.33
	\$5240.74

St. Vincent's Orphan Asylum, June, 1906	660.00
	\$5900.74

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 179 (New Series), Granting the Bay Bottling Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of four (4) horsepower in premises situate at northerly line of Eighteenth avenue south, 225 feet easterly from R street south, the same to be used in a bottling establishment.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Resolution No. 180 (New Series), Granting the Palace Hotel Laundry Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of fifty (50) horsepower at premises situate on Post street between Devisadero and Broderick streets, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Oil Permit.

Resolution No. 181 (New Series), Granting the Palace Hotel Laundry Company permission to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 1500 gallons in premises situate on Post street, between Devisadero and Broderick streets, for the purpose of storing crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Relating to Wagon Licenses.

Bill No. 40, Ordinance No. 36 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 2 of Ordinance No. 918, entitled, 'Imposing a License on Trucks and Wagons,' approved June 30, 1903, and repealing Ordinance No. 1538," the pro-

visions of which require the collections of said licenses for the calendar instead of the fiscal year.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Relating to Public Passenger Vehicle Licenses.

Bill No. 41, Ordinance No. 37 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 6 of Ordinance No. 1710, entitled 'Imposing a License on Public Passenger Vehicles and on Drivers and Motor-men of Such Vehicles,' approved December 28, 1905," the provisions of which require the collection of said licenses for the calendar instead of the fiscal year.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Presentation of Bills and Accounts.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$62,825.44 and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 2983 to 3840 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Gallagher, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

New Business.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Fender Third Street Bridge.

On motion of Supervisor Furey: Resolution No. — (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$3425, to be made out of the Surplus Fund of 1904-1905 in payment to Thomson Bridge Company for the construction of fender for bridge at Third and Channel streets, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, June Water Service.

On motion of Supervisor Phillips: Resolution No. — (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$2500, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Spring Valley Water Company for water for municipal purposes, as follows:

For hydrants, June, 1906....	\$2000 00
For public buildings, June,	
1906	500 00
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	\$2500 00

Authorizing Payment, Maintenance Preston Inmates.

On motion of Supervisor Sanderson: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$792.72, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to State of California for maintenance of inmates of Preston School of Industry, for month of June, 1906, as per bill rendered.

Amending Ordinance, Prohibiting Sale of Adulterated Drugs.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Bill No. 44, Ordinance No. — (New Series, entitled, "Amending Section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 (New Series), entitled 'An ordinance to prohibit the sale of adulterated drugs and medicines; defining "adulteration," "drugs"; prohibiting the sale of methyl alcohol in drugs and medicines; providing for the enforcement thereof, and penalties for the violation thereof approved June 20, 1906.'"

Referred.

Mayor Sell Junk Stored in Police Department.

Supervisor Walsh introduced Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, A communication from the Chief of Police has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors (July 11, 1906), stating that certain personal property belonging to the City and County unfit for use, is at present located in the yard of the Lowell High School, on Sutter street, between Gough and Octavia streets, and suggesting that the same might be sold to the advantage of the City; therefore

Resolved, That in accordance with Subdivision 33, Section 1, Chapter 11, Article II, of the Charter, his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby author-

ized and requested to sell said property at public auction, after the requisite advertisement of five days.

On motion, referred to the Police Committee.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Mayor Sell Condemned Fire Department Horses.

On motion of Supervisor Walsh:
Resolution No. 182 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and requested, in accordance with Subdivision 33, Section 1, Chapter II, Article II, of the Charter, to sell at public auction, after the requisite publication for five (5) days, all of the condemned Fire Department horses at present in the custody of the Superintendent of the City and County Almshouse.

Providing for Reconstruction of Fire Houses.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:
Resolution No. 183 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the unexpended amount remaining in the appropriation of 1905-1906, for the construction of an engine house in the Presidio Heights District, which amount is estimated at \$18,000, be and the same is hereby transferred and set aside for the construction of temporary structures for engine houses.

Further resolved, That the attention of the Auditor and Treasurer be and is hereby called to the provisions of this resolution.

Award Contract, Recorder Printing and Publishing Co.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:
Resolution No. 184 (New Series),
as follows:

Resolved, That the contract for printing, publishing and distributing the law and motion calendar of the Superior Court, the daily trial calendar, the decisions of the Supreme Court and of the District Court of Appeals of the State of California, and the Journal of Proceedings of the Board of Supervisors in strict accordance with the specifications and advertisement inviting proposals thereon, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Recorder Printing and Publishing

Company for the total sum of two hundred and seventy-five (\$275) dollars per month; provided the sureties on the bond of said company, which is hereby fixed at one thousand (\$1000) dollars, are satisfactory to his Honor, the Mayor, who is hereby authorized to enter into said contract at said sum.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Action Deferred.

Board of Public Works Submit Plans and Specifications Proposed Municipal Building.

Supervisor Nicholas introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Whereas, By reason of the fact, that through force of circumstances, the various Municipal Departments are scattered throughout the City and in localities at a great distance apart; and

Whereas, By reason of such diversity of location of said departments great inconvenience is experienced by the Municipal Officials, and public generally; and

Whereas, The maintenance of many private buildings for public purposes is inimical to the public welfare in that the rental cost of the same is a great burden upon the taxpayers; and

Whereas, A site for a general Municipal Building has been selected at the southeast corner of Eighth and Mission streets; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be, and it is, hereby respectfully requested to forthwith submit to this Board plans and specifications and estimates of cost for a Municipal Building to be erected at said northeast corner of Eighth and Mission streets, said building to be of sufficient size and dimensions to accommodate all City and County Officials and Departments, and the Superior and Justices' Courts.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas, laid over until the next meeting.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following Resolution was passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Assessment Rolls.

On motion of Supervisor Coffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series),
Authorizing an expenditure of \$2468
to be made out of the Surplus Fund
of the fiscal year 1904-1905 in pay-
ment to Phillips & Van Orden for fur-
nishing the following volumes for use
in the Assessor's office:

Sixty volumes Assessment Rolls,
real estate.

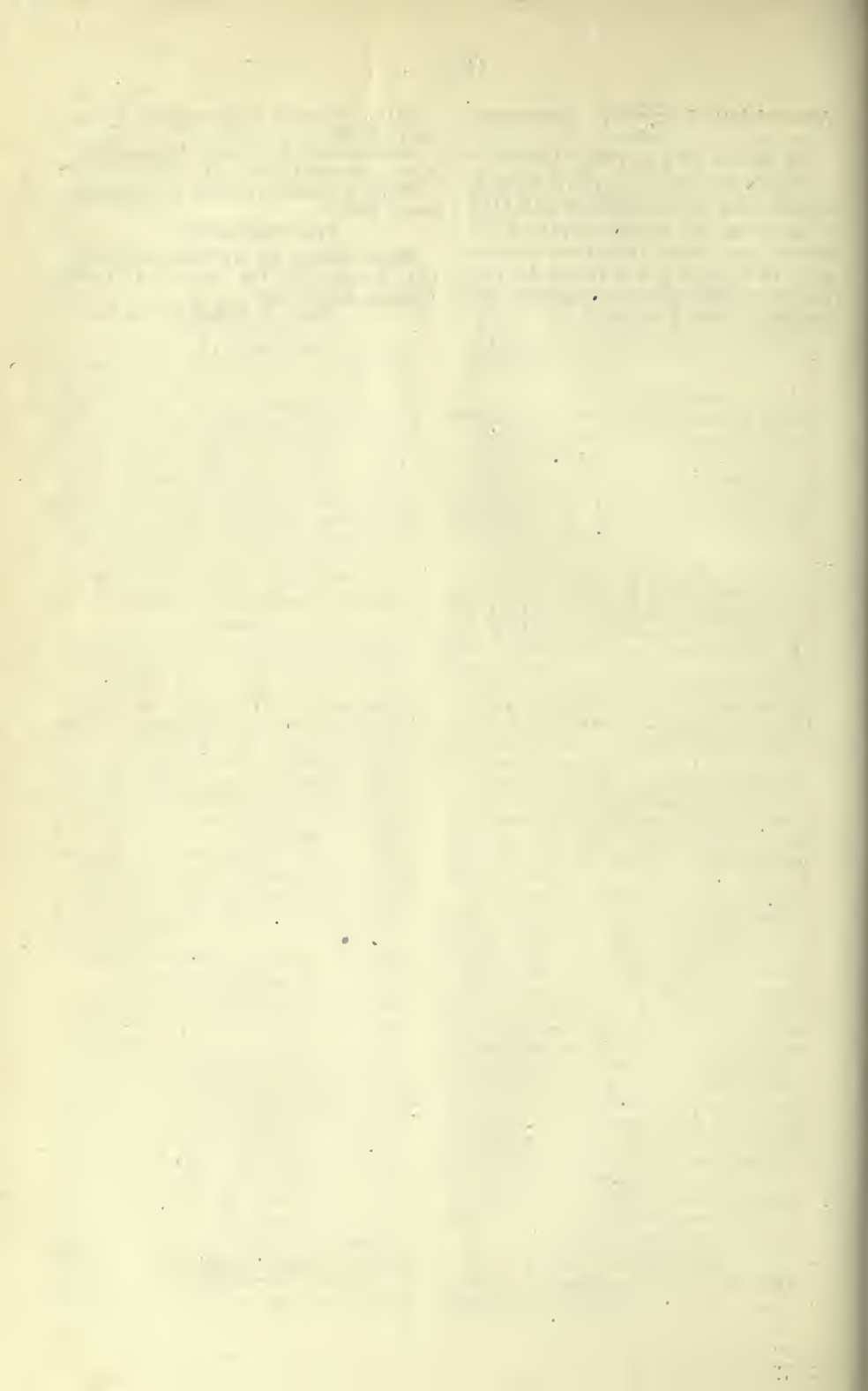
Seventeen volumes Assessment
Rolls, personal property.

Four volumes indexes for Assess-
ment Rolls.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business,
the Board, at the hour of 4:55
o'clock, adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.



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MONDAY, JULY 16, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, July 16, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of the meetings of June 27, July 2, and July 5, 1906, were read and approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Light Committee.

Communication: From E. J. Daley, calling attention to the fact that the electric arc lamps at Eighteenth and Utah streets and on Potrero avenue from Seventeenth to Nineteenth streets, have not been lighted since the 18th of April.

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petition: Of T. E. Bailly, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$27.62, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

To the Finance Committee.

Communication: From American National Red Cross, regarding claim of Mrs. E. H. Tremayne, for the care of boys committed by the Juvenile Court.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions: Of C. S. Boden, for per-

mission to erect and maintain a gas engine of 21 horsepower in premises situate on north side of Nineteenth street, west of Guerrero street, the same to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Of W. J. Blumberg & Bro., for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 10 horsepower at premises Nos. 608-610-612 Eddy street, the same to be used for bathing establishment purposes.

Of California Canning Co., for permission to erect and maintain an engine and two boilers in premises corner of Eighteenth and Minnesota streets, and also to store and use crude oil as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Of Adolph Hromada Co., for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 40 horsepower in premises Nos 1310 to 1330 Folsom street, the same to be used in the process of manufacturing candy.

Of W. W. Montague, for permission to store and use crude petroleum for fuel purposes, on block bounded by Kentucky, Mariposa, Illinois and Seventeenth streets.

Of Kohl Building, for permission to store and use crude petroleum for fuel purposes, in premises situate on northeasterly corner of California and Montgomery streets.

Communication: From the North Central Improvement Association, requesting that a chemical engine be established and maintained in the remaining financial portion of the city.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petition: Of McGinn Bros., for permission to conduct an undertaking establishment at No. 1826 Eddy street.

To the Police Committee.

Communication: From the Pacific Athletic Association, notifying the Board that it has resolved not to issue any permits for amateur boxing contests for the reason that all of the boxers in these so-called amateur contests are being paid in coin for their services.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petition: Of Adrienne Thompson, for permission to explode blasts for the purpose of grading at premises southeast corner of Dolores and Fourteenth streets.

Proposition: Of Reed & Company, to construct a subway on Market street, together with plans and drawings showing details of construction.

Protests: Of Holbrook, Merrill & Stetson, against the application of the Southern Pacific Company to lay a steam railroad track on Bluxome street, between Fourth and Sixth streets.

Of Mrs. Serena H. Knight, against granting permission to the Metropolitan Improvement Company, to construct a spur track over and along Division street and Eighth street, on the ground that a portion of Division street, so-called, is private property.

Of C. N. Ellinwood, M. D., against changing the name of Devisadero street to Funston avenue.

Of Zoeth S. Eldridge, against changing the name of Devisadero street to Funston avenue.

Of Jos. O'Hara and other Merchants on Devisadero street, against changing name of said street to Funston avenue.

Of A. D. D'Ancona, and other Property Owners on Devisadero street, against changing name of said street to Funston avenue.

Of Geo. D. Shadburne and other Property Owners on Devisadero street, against changing name of said street to Funston avenue.

To the Special Committee on Water Supply.

Protest: Of Modesto and Turlock District Irrigationists, against the taking of water from the Tuolumne river for the domestic supply of San Francisco, upon the ground that all the overflow of said river is required for the use of the Modesto and Turlock Irrigation Districts.

Communication: From the Democratic County Convention of Stanislaus County, California, submitting

resolutions adopted by said convention in the City of Modesto, July 30, 1906, protesting against any attempt on the part of any municipality, outside of the natural water shed, to obtain a water supply from the streams of the semi-arid San Joaquin Valley.

To the Committee of the Whole.

Protest: Of Dolliver & Bro., against awarding the contracts for supplying of leather and other materials for the use of the City and County Almshouse, on the ground of insufficient notice of reception of bids.

Communication: From Hackmen's Union, Local No. 224, recommending the passage of a bill requiring permits to be obtained from the Board of Supervisors for the establishment of stables wherein are quartered more than six horses.

File.

The following Communications were received, read and ordered placed on file, to wit:

From J. T. Wetzel, president Interest Tax Club, with expression of views regarding the reconstruction of San Francisco.

From West of Castro Improvement Club, endorsing action of Board of Supervisors regarding liquor license.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending that the sum of five thousand (\$5000) dollars be set aside for the purpose of cleaning debris from City property and from lots adjoining said City property upon which debris has fallen by reason of the collapse of buildings belonging to the City and County.

Also, notifying the Supervisors that it has canceled the contract entered into with Frank Simonart for grading of the school lot on the southwest corner of Twentieth and Kentucky streets, for the reason that said contractor cannot complete his contract, because of the presence of at least 5000 refugees at the base of the hill; and, also, recommending that said contractor be allowed \$4627.35 for grading done.

Also, submitting inventory of articles of furniture and equipment belonging to the City and County and in the possession of said Board, July 1st, 1906.

From the Chief of Police, submitting inventory of property in the hands of the Police Department July 1st, 1906.

From the Chief of the Department of Electricity, submitting inventory of articles of equipment, supplies and furniture belonging to the City and County and in charge and used by said Department, July 1st, 1906.

To the Public Buildings Committee:

From the Board of Public Works, with requisition for various articles of furniture required for the book-keeper's office.

From the Auditor, with requisition for the construction of desks for use in his office.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of constructing an eight-inch iron stone pipe sewer in Twenty-second avenue, 150 feet northerly from Lake street.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the easterly one-half of Baker street between Fulton and Oak streets, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Baker and Oak streets, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Belvedere street between, Grattan street and Parnassus avenue, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Grattan street, between Cole and Belvedere streets, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Vallejo and Broderick streets, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending that Clark and Henry be granted an extension of thirty days' time from and after July 15, 1906, within which to complete their contract for the repaving of Van Ness avenue, between Fulton and McAllister streets, and Geary and Eddy streets.

Also, recommending that the Barber Asphalt Company be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after August 5, 1906, within which to complete its contract for the re-

paving of Kearny street between California street and Montgomery avenue.

Also, recommending that W. F. Hanrahan be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after July 11, 1906, within which to complete his contract for the construction of a section of the Upper Sunset Main sewer.

File.

A Communication from the City Attorney, submitting a copy of an opinion rendered to the Chief of Police, involving the right of a Police Officer to board vessels without a warrant when they have reason to believe that an offense against the law is being committed, was received, read and ordered placed on file.

Message from Mayor.

The following Message from his Honor the Mayor was received, read and ordered entered at large in the Journal of Proceedings:

Removal of Thomas Reagan from Office of Police Commissioner.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

San Francisco, Cal., July 13, 1906.
To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen: Pursuant to Section 20, Article XVI of the Charter, I hereby notify you that I have this day removed from the office of Police Commissioner of the City and County of San Francisco, Thomas Reagan, for the causes and reasons stated in my notice to him of such removal, which is of even date herewith and a copy of which is hereto attached and made part hereof.

Apart from any pre-existing causes which may have justified such removal, the false and malignant letter dated July 11th, 1906, addressed by the Commissioners to the Mayor, of itself stamps the writer as unfit to hold any position of honor or trust in this community, and as unworthy of the confidence of the people of this City.

Very respectfully yours,

E. E. SCHMITZ,

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

San Francisco, Cal., July 13, 1906.
Mr. Thomas Reagan, Police Commissioner City & Co. of San Francisco, Sir—

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 18, Article XVI of the Charter,

I hereby remove you from the office of Police Commissioner of the City and County of San Francisco, and specify as the causes of your removal:

- 1st. General unfitness to hold a position of public honor or trust.
- 2nd. Flagrant mendacity.
- 3rd. Disloyalty to the Administration.
- 4th. Lack of harmony impairing your usefulness as a Commissioner.
- 5th. Irreconcilable conflict between the interests of your private business and the obligations of your public office.
- 6th. Inefficiency.

Yours,

E. E. SCHMITZ,

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Report was received, read and adopted.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco,

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Capital and Labor, to which was referred the Communication from the International Union of Steam Engineers (filed July 5, 1906), recommending the passage of an Ordinance entitled, "Regulating the operation of stationary steam engines and steam boilers and providing for the licensing of engineers and operators thereof," respectfully returns the same to your Honorable Board with recommendation that the Bill be referred to the Judiciary Committee with request that said Committee report favorably upon the proposed Ordinance, if the same is in legal form.

J. J. FUREY,
THOMAS F. LONERGAN,
F. P. NICHOLAS,
GEORGE F. DUFFEY,
MAX MAMLOCK,

Committee on Capital and Labor.

The Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee, by Supervisor Rea, presented a report which was received read and ordered placed on file.

Proposal.

A proposal of the San Francisco Gas and Electric Co. for lighting streets and outlying districts and for lighting public buildings for the year ending June 30, 1906, was received, opened and read, and ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Finance and Artificial Light.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Referred

Amending Ocean Shore Railway Co. Franchise.

Bill No. 2040, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance amending Section 1 of Ordinance No. 1808, 'Providing for a grant to the Ocean Shore Railway Company, a railroad corporation, of a right of way for, and the right to construct, maintain and operate, a railroad, together with all necessary branches, side-tracks, turn-outs, switches, crossings, spur-tracks, yard-tracks, depot-tracks, and terminal-tracks and facilities, along, over, under, across, and upon certain streets, avenues, alleys, places and properties in the City and County of San Francisco,' and adding thereto a new section to be numbered Seventeen," heretofore passed for printing, was taken up this day, ninety (90) days subsequent to introduction, and

On motion, ordered referred to the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Extensions of Time on Street Work.

Resolution No. 185 (New Series), Granting William Belser & Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after July 6, 1906, to complete the contract for recurbing and repaving Mission street, between Fifth and Sixth streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to secure materials to complete the work within the time originally fixed by the Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors. Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Resolution No. 186 (New Series), Granting the City Street Improvement Company the following extensions of time to complete its contracts for street work, to wit:

Ninety days' time from and after June 27, 1906, to complete the street work on California street, between Mason street and Jones street.

Ninety days' time from June 27, 1906, to complete the contract for the repaving and recurbing of Waverly place, between Clay and Sacramento streets.

Ninety days' time from and after July 13, 1906, to complete contract for the recurring and repaving of Larkin street, between Hayes and the northerly line of McAllister street.

Ninety days' time from and after July 6, 1906, within which to complete contract for the sewerage of Fourth street, from Howard street southerly.

These extensions are granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to secure the material to complete the contracts within the time originally fixed by the Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 187 (New Series), Granting the California Card Manufacturing Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of twenty-five (25) horsepower in premises situate at N. W. corner Potrero avenue and Mariposa street, the same to be used in the process of manufacturing cardboard.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Resolution No. 188 (New Series), Granting the California Mill Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of two hundred (200) horsepower in premises situate on south line of Bryant street, 275 feet east of Fifth street, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Resolution No. 189 (New Series), Granting Davis Bros permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of four (4) horsepower in premises situate at No. 1003 Golden Gate avenue, the same to be used for cooking rubber for automobile tires.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Resolution No. 190 (New Series),

Granting Ostrander & Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of twenty (20) horsepower in premises situate at No. 113-115 Mission street, to be used in millwright work.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Resolution No. 191 (New Series), Granting M. Pickthall permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of eight (8) horsepower in premises situate at No. 220 Fremont street, the same to be used for heating purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Resolution No. 192 (New Series), Granting the Yerba Buena Preserving Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of twenty-five (25) horsepower in premises on easterly line of Mason street, 112½ feet southerly from Francisco street, the same to be used for canning fruit.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Resolution No. 193 (New Series), Granting Somers & Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of one hundred (100) horsepower in premises situated on Hubbell street, 275 feet west of Sixth street, the same to be used to supply power for a feed mill and hay compressing plant.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Oil Permit

Resolution No. 194 (New Series), Granting Somers & Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank of 2500 gallons capacity at premises situate on Hubbell street, 275 feet west from Sixth street, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to

be used as fuel under boiler on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bexton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Loneragan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Passed for Printing.

Authorizing Payments, Repairs of Streets.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3094.94 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to City Street Improvement Company for bitumen repairs of streets as follows:

As per award No. 6446.....\$2172.72
As per award No. 6676..... 922.22

Total\$3094.94
heretofore referred to the Finance Committee and returned by said Committee with the recommendation that the same do pass, was taken up, and

On motion passed for printing.

Referred.

Board of Public Works File Plans and Specifications for Proposed Municipal Building.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Requesting the Board of Public Works to forthwith submit to the Supervisors plans, specifications and estimates of cost for a municipal building to be erected at northeast corner of Eighth and Mission streets, laid over from a prior meeting, was taken up.

Motion.

Supervisor Bexton moved that the Chairman of the Finance, Judiciary, Public Buildings and Public Utilities Committees be appointed a Special Committee to further the construction of a municipal building and that said Resolution be referred to said Special Committee.

So ordered.

PRESENTATION FOR BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$32,825.44, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 2983 to 3480 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Walsh, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said Demands having

been duly approved by the Finance Committee, and

On his motion, said Demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bexton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Loneragan, Mamlock, McGushin; Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing.

Authorizing Payment, Express Charges.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$535.75, to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to Wells Fargo & Co. Express for transportation of coin to State Treasurer, Sacramento, Cal., as per bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Typewriting Machines.

On motion of Supervisor Coffey: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$525, to be made out of the Surplus Fund, in payment to F. J. Cooper for three typewriters at \$175.00 apiece furnished the Recorder's office as per bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Recorder's Books.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1900, to be made out of the Surplus Fund, in payment to Phillips & Van Orden Co. for furnishing index, deed and mortgage books for Recorder's office, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, for Printing Election Laws.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$763, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Phillips & Van Orden Co. for 4000 copies of Election Laws, as per contract and bill rendered.

Boiler Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey. Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting H. A. Sartori permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of 3 horsepower in premises situate at No. 484 Haight street, to be used for heating water for cleaning dairy utensils.

Extension Time, Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series),

Granting Clark & Henry an extension of thirty days' time from and after July 15, 1906, within which to complete the contract to pave the roadway of Van Ness avenue between Fulton and McAllister streets and between Geary and Eddy streets.

Full Acceptance Streets.

Also, Bill No. 45, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the full acceptance of the roadway of California street between the westerly line of Parker avenue and the easterly line of First avenue, the roadway of Fourth avenue between Point Lobos avenue and A street, the roadway of Waller street between Clayton and Cole streets, and the roadway of Seventh avenue between Point Lobos avenue and Clement street, paved with bituminous rock."

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Relating to Frame Structures Within the Fire Limits.

Supervisor Boxton called attention to the fact that frame structures were being constantly constructed within the fire limits, despite the passage of "The Building Law," expressly forbidding the same.

Under advisement.

Relating to Writ of Mandate Against Granting Franchise to Home Telephone Company of San Francisco.

Motion.

Supervisor Coffey called attention to the service upon the members of the Board of Supervisors, of an order restraining them from awarding and granting a franchise for a telephone system to the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco, and moved that Assistant City Attorney John T. Williams, assigned to service of Board, be instructed to defend the members in suit.

So ordered.

Adopted.

Supervisor Lonergan introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Providing for Enforcement of Provisions of Building Law, Relating to Unsafe Structures.

Resolved, That the attention of the Board of Public Works and of the Chief of Police be and is hereby called to the provision of Section No. 355, of "The Building Law," wherein and whereby said Board is authorized and empowered to cause the removal of dangerous or unsafe structures.

The said Board of Public Works and the Chief of Police are hereby requested to co-operate together in enforcing this section of "The Building Law," with particular reference to the removal of unsafe and dangerous walls of dismantled buildings, and the suggestion is hereby made that seven days' notice be served upon owners of property upon whose premises such dangerous or unsafe walls remain, to remove the same, otherwise to enforce the penal provisions of "The Building Law."

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Lonergan, as Resolution No. 195 (New Series).

Meeting of Special Committee on Water Supply.

Supervisor Walsh announced that the Special Committee on Water Supply for San Francisco would meet on Wednesday, July 18, 1906, at 2 p. m.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:25 o'clock, adjourned, to meet on Thursday, July 19, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

THURSDAY, JULY 19, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Thursday, July 19, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of pre-

vious meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

Communication—From the California Street Cable Railroad Company, submitting statement of gross receipts of branches of its system for the year ending June 30, 1906, under franchises of which a percentage of said receipts is due the City and County of San Francisco.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of J. H. Kruse for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 100 horsepower in premises situate on the Southerly side of Treat avenue between Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets, the same to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Of the Kohl Building, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boilers of 450-horsepower in premises situate on the northeasterly corner of California and Montgomery streets, the same to be used for power purposes.

Of C. W. Mann & Company, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 6-horsepower in premises situate at No. 280 Seventh street, the same to be used in a winery.

Of Standard Biscuit Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 50-horsepower in premises situate at the northeast corner of Sansome and Pacific streets, the same to be used in furnishing power for the manufacture of crackers and biscuits; also, for permission to store crude petroleum in said premises at the northeast corner of Sansome and Pacific streets.

Of Mrs. F. W. Blake and others, consenting to the granting of a permit to A. Peninou, to erect and maintain a steam boiler at No. 3407 Sacramento street, to be used for laundry purposes.

To the License and Orders Committee.

Petition—Of John Fitzgerald for the refunding to him of the sum \$17.30, a proportionate amount from April 18, 1906, of liquor license paid for the quarter ending June 30th, 1906.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Communication—From the California Club, with resolutions adopted by the Outside Department of said Club, urging the Board of Supervisors to preserve Van Ness avenue as a boulevard.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petition—Of Frank B. Gilbreth, for permission to blast for building purposes at the corner of California and Drumm streets.

Protest—Of Henry E. Bothin and numerous other property owners, against the maintenance of a stable established by Schweitzer & Company, butchers, on the northerly side of Jackson street between Polk and Larkin streets.

To the Committee of the Whole.

Protests—Of P. A. Bergerot and others, against adopting of the proposed stable ordinance by which building permits may be granted without first obtaining consent of owners of adjoining property.

Protest: Of E. P. Troy, against amending the present Ordinance permitting property owners to prevent the locating of livery stables within 200 feet of their property.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Department of Elections, transmitting notice from the Phoenix Insurance Company of Brooklyn, N. Y., disclaiming liability for loss of voting machines destroyed by fire.

To the Printing and Salaries Committee.

From the Justices' Clerk, with requisition for certain law books.

From the Secretary of the Superior Judges, with requisition for thirteen copies of Palm's Citations.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

From the Board of Health, with requisition for certain office furniture.

From the Board of Public Works, with requisition for office furniture for the Bureau of Engineering.

From the Tax Collector, with requisition for three dozen office stools.
From the Central Emergency Hospital, with requisition for certain furniture.

File.

A Communication from the City Attorney, transmitting copy of an opinion rendered the Board of Election Commissioners in the matter of primary election registration, was received, read and ordered placed on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payment, Sewer Construction.

Resolution No. 196 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$22,986.97, to be made out of the "Sewer Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund in payment to the Eureka Construction Company for constructing sewer in California street, between Twenty-fourth and Thirty-first avenues, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Authorizing Payment, Fender Third Street Bridge.

On motion of Supervisor Furey:

Resolution No. 197 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3425, to be made out of the Surplus Fund of 1904-1905, in payment to Thomson Bridge Company for the construction of fender for bridge at Third and Channel streets, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Authorizing Payment, June Water Service.

On motion of Supervisor Phillips:

Resolution No. 198 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2500, to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to Spring Valley Water Company for water for municipal purposes, as follows:

For hydrants, June, 1906.....\$2000 00
For public buildings, June,
1906 500 00
\$2500 00

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Authorizing Payment, Maintenance Preston Inmates.

On motion of Supervisor Sanderson: Resolution No. 199 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$792.72, to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to State of California, for maintenance of inmates of Preston School of Industry, for month of June, 1906, as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Authorizing Payment, Assessment Rolls.

Resolution No. 200 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2468, to be made out of the Surplus Fund of the fiscal year 1904-1905, in payment to Phillips & Van Orden for furnishing the following volumes for use in the Assessor's office:

Sixty volumes Assessment Rolls, real estate.

Seventeen volumes Assessment Rolls, personal property.

Four volumes indexes for Assessment Rolls.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Amending Ordinance, Prohibiting Sale of Adulterated Drugs.

Bill No. 44, Ordinance No. 38 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 (New Series), entitled 'An Ordinance to prohibit the sale of adulterated drugs and medicines; defining "adulteration," "drugs"; prohibiting the sale of methyl alcohol in drugs and medicines; providing for the enforcement thereof, and penalties for the violation thereof, approved June 20, 1906.'"

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Presentation of Bills and Accounts.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$39,304.70, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 3481 to 3620, inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Walsh, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

New Business.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Dehmow's Dyeing and Cleaning Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of sixteen (16) horsepower in premises situate at No. 551 First avenue, to be used for furnishing power for a cleaning and dyeing works.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Grau Packing Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of ten (10) horsepower in premises situate at northwest corner of Seventeenth and Dolores streets, to be used for heating water for washing bottles.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Se-

ries), Granting W. C. Premus permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of eighty (80) horsepower in premises situate on south line of North Point street, 300 feet east of Powell street, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Starlight Laundry permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of eight (8) horsepower in premises situate at No. 750 Stanyan street, to be used for laundry purposes.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted.

Mayor Sell Junk Stored in Police Department.

On motion of Supervisor Sanderson: Resolution No. 201 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, A Communication from the Chief of Police has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors (July 11, 1906), stating that certain personal property belonging to the City and County, unfit for use, is at present located in the yard of the Lowell High School, on Sutter street, between Gough and Octavia streets, and suggesting that the same might be sold to the advantage of the City; therefore,

Resolved, That, in accordance with Subdivision 33, Section 1, Chapter 11, Article II, of the Charter, his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and requested to sell said property at public auction, after the requisite advertisement of five days.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, at the hour of 3:25 o'clock, the Board adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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MONDAY, JULY 23, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, July 23, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called, and the following Supervisors noted present:

Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher called to Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journal of the meeting of July 9, 1906, was read and approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

Communication—From the St. Mary's Square Association, requesting that the St. Mary's Square Fund be preserved intact.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of the Central Iron Works, for permission to store and use crude petroleum as fuel under boilers in premises No. 621 Florida street.

Of Stacy and Herrick, for permission to erect and maintain a gasoline engine of 6 horse power in premises situate on Clementina street 200 feet westerly from Eighth street, the same to be used for power purposes.

Protest:—Of Dennis Finnigan and

numerous other property owners against granting permission to J. H. Kruse, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of one hundred horse power for the purpose of operating a planing mill on Treat avenue between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of Morgan Oyster Company, for permission to erect and maintain a stable on the westerly line of Ritch street, 125 feet southerly from Brannan street.

Of Monahan & Company, for permission to conduct and maintain undertaking parlor at premises No. 1304 Guerrero street.

Communication—From Jas. Hagan and Company, requesting information in regard to the reception of bids for the burial of the indigent dead.

To the Joint Committee on Hospital and Health and Streets, Sewers and Parks.

Protests—Of P. J. Carr and others against the Board of Health condemning as a nuisance the refugee barracks on Dolores street between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets.

To the License and Orders Committee.

Petition—Of Jas. A. Mahoney, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$5 deposited with the Tax Collector for a solicitor's badge.

To the Outside Lands Committee.

Petition—Of Agnes J. Bodkin, for a continuance of proceedings in the matter of adjudging and awarding a grant of land to said petitioner, pursuant to Ordinance of Grant No. 549 of the Board of Supervisors.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

Communication—From the California Club, urging the immediate consideration and passage of an ordinance, regarding the erection and remodeling of tenement houses.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Protests—Of Eliza D. Keith, Past Grand President of the N. D. G. W., against changing the name of Devisadero street to that of Funston avenue.

Of A. Derre and numerous other property owners against the maintenance of stables by A. B. Clute on Jersey street between Dolores and Church streets on the ground that the same encroach upon the public street and also constitute a nuisance and menace to health and comfort.

To the Water Rates Committee.

Petition—Of Emil Garnjost and numerous other Property Owners for better water facilities in the vicinity of Railroad avenue between Sixteenth and Twenty-second avenues south.

To the Special Committee on Water Supply.

Offer—Of Wm. Muir and Lake Tahoe San Francisco Water Works, to furnish a water supply to San Francisco.

To the Committee of the Whole.

Protests—Of A. Anderson against abolishing the two-hundred foot provision in the stable permit ordinance.

Of the Market Street and Eureka Valley Improvement Club, against any change in the present stable permit ordinance.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

From the Assessor, recommending that certain property erroneously assessed for the year 1905 be withdrawn from the Tax Collector's annual sale for the non-payment of taxes and that said property be re-assessed for the year 1906.

To the Finance Committee.

From the Recorder, recommending that action be taken with respect to

coin received by his office on the 17th day of April as fees and reduced to bullion by the fire of April 18th, 1906.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending that the sum of \$1165 be set aside for the purpose of repairing the Department of Elections' Warehouse at the corner of Eighteenth and Division streets.

Also, recommending that sufficient money be set aside for the purchase of a safe large enough to accommodate the current record books and blanks of that office as well as the safe keeping of such moneys received each day after deposit is made with the Treasurer.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of constructing artificial stone sidewalks on Church street between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, on Twenty-fourth streets between Noe and Chattanooga streets and the construction of plank side walks on the southerly side of Berry street between Fourth and Seventh streets, and that the expense thereof be assessed on private property.

Also, that the sum of \$32,500 be set aside for the grading and paving of Market street from Twelfth street to Valencia street, Valencia street from Market street to Hermann street and Brady street from Market to Stevenson streets.

Also, recommending that Flinn and Treacy be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after July 29, 1906, within which to complete their contract for paving Castro street between Fifteenth and Henry streets.

Also, recommending that Flinn and Treacy be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after July 29, 1906, within which to complete their contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks and bituminous rock pavements on the crossing of Castro and Fifteenth streets.

Also, recommending that Flinn and Treacy be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after July 29, 1906, within which to complete their contract to pave Pacific street between Montgomery avenue and Stockton street.

File.

The Report of the County Clerk for

the year ending July 30, 1906, was received, read and ordered placed on file.

REPORT OF STREETS, SEWERS AND PARKS COMMITTEE.

The following Report was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco,—

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Streets, Sewers and Parks, to whom various matters were referred, respectfully submit the following report:

In favor of the full acceptance of the roadways of the following streets:

The roadway of Belvedere street, between the southerly line of Grattan street and the southerly line of Parnassus avenue, paved with bituminous rock.

The roadway of Grattan street, between Cole and Belvedere streets, paved with bituminous rock.

The roadway of the crossing of Baker and Oak streets, paved with bituminous rock.

The roadway of the crossing of Vallejo and Broderick streets, paved with bituminous rock.

In favor of granting an extension of ninety days' time to the Barber Asphalt Company to pave the roadway of Kearny street from California street to Montgomery avenue.

In the matter of the petition of Property Owners and Merchants, requesting the Board of Supervisors to change the name of Devisadero street to Funston avenue, and

The protests of Property Owners against the change of the name of Devisadero street to Funston Avenue,

Your Committee recommends that the petition to change the name of Devisadero street be denied, and

That the protest of the Property Owners be sustained.

In favor of the recommendation of the Board of Public Works that the following street work be deemed expedient:

Sewering of Twenty-second avenue 150 feet north of Lake street.

Your Committee recommends that the following matters be referred to the Finance Committee, with the recommendation that the amounts be allowed out of the Bond Issue:

The sum of \$86,000.00 for repaving Market street, from second to East street.

The sum of \$80,000 for sewer work on Market street, from Sansome to East street.

Your Committee reports in favor of the recommendation from the Board of Public Works that grades be changed and lowered on Golden Gate avenue, between Jones and Leavenworth streets.

Your Committee recommends that the proposition of Reed and Company, to construct a subway on Market street, be referred to the Board of Public Works, for investigation and report.

L. A. REA,
W. M. SANDERSON,
J. PHILLIPS.
M. W. COFFEY.

Motion.

Supervisor Wilson moved that the report be ordered placed on file, and that the question of the reduction of the grade of Golden Gate avenue, between Jones and Leavenworth streets, be postponed until meeting of Wednesday, July 25, 1906.

So ordered.

Action Deferred.

Intention to Change Grades on Golden Gate Avenue between Jones and Leavenworth Streets.

Thereupon, in conformity with motion adopted, action on Resolution No. — (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and re-establish grades at certain points and elevations on Golden Gate avenue and on Jones and Leavenworth streets, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed July 9, 1906, introduced by Supervisor Rea, was postponed until July 25, 1906.

Report of Special Committee on Water Supply.

The following Report was read and adopted:

To the Board of Supervisors,—

Gentlemen: Your Special Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the consideration of the various propositions for a municipal water supply, submitted in response to your resolution requiring such submission, reports that it has given

to the subject such attention and care as within the limited time at its disposal could be accorded, and in response to the suggestion of the Board made at its meeting of the 16th inst., that this Special Committee should make its recommendations this day, presents the following report:

The acquisition of a municipal water supply has for some years past been one of the urgent and pressing necessities of the municipality. For a number of years the agitation for securing such an adequate supply of pure, fresh water from the Sierra Nevada Mountains has been vigorous and persistent, and the demand by the people for such supply has been outspoken and urgent.

Previous Boards of Supervisors have considered the matter carefully and at length, and a great deal of money has been spent by the City, and practically wasted, in an attempt to secure a system of water supply which, while excellent in its source and location, is surrounded by obstacles apparently insurmountable in the question of title to water and the storage thereof, and in the opposition of the neighboring property owners and communities.

By reason of these difficulties, extending from the heads of the Federal Government at Washington through various gradations to the nearest residents and farmers adjacent to the proposed source of supply, it has been impossible for the City, so long as its attention was centered on this one source, to acquire its much needed water supply.

In view of this fact, and recognizing the urgent necessity for a municipal water supply, your Honorable Board did on or about the — day of March, 1906, resolve to discontinue the heretofore futile efforts to acquire the so-called Tuolumne System as a source of water supply for the City, and determine to seek available supplies in other directions. Pursuant to this determination, your Board did, on the 16th day of March, 1906, issue an invitation for proposals for water supply for the City, containing the following conditions: "All persons, companies, associations or corporations having or controlling sources of supply of pure, fresh water ade-

quate for the City's needs and purposes, which they are willing to transfer to the City, be and they hereby are requested, on or before Monday, the 9th day of April, 1906, to present and submit to this Board for its consideration, their respective propositions for furnishing the City an adequate supply of pure, fresh water, giving a complete outline of their sources of supply and of the title thereof and the price for which the same will be furnished to the City. No supply will be considered which will not be capable of furnishing to the City an immediate daily supply of not less than 60 million gallons per day, and an absolute guarantee of a future possible development of not less than 200 million gallons per day, as the population of the City shall increase.

"The propositions so to be submitted are to be considered by this Board, but the Board does not commit itself to the acquisition of any one of them unless the same shall be in all respects adequate and satisfactory, both as to quality and quantity of the supply and its relative cost to the City."

In answer to such invitation, on April 9th, 1906, 14 written proposals were submitted to your Honorable Board. Such proposals were destroyed in the fire which followed the earthquake of April 18th, 1906, through which practically all the records of your Honorable Board at the City Hall were destroyed, and thereafter by reason of such destruction and in view of the absolute need for a better water supply, your Board invited a renewal of these proposals and of any others which might be submitted.

At the time designated in the invitation last referred, to wit, on June 21st, 1906, at a public meeting of the Water Committee of your Board, eleven projects were submitted. Following is a synopsis of the fourteen propositions originally submitted:

1. Lake Tahoe and San Francisco Water Works (Lake Tahoe).
2. Hugo D. Newhouse (source unknown).
3. Russell L. Dunn (North Fork American River—Giant Gap).
4. Jay E. Russell (North and Middle Forks American River).
5. Scofield Construction Com-

pany (source not stated but since indicated verbally as San Joaquin River).

6. Bay Cities Water Company (South Fork American River and North Fork Cosumnes River).

7. Northern Sierra Power Company (Feather River).

8. Wm. Muir (North and Middle Forks of American River).

9. Orrin S. Henderson (Middle Fork American River).

10. Sierra Nevada Water and Power Company (Mokelumne River).

11. Stanislaus Electric Power Company (Stanislaus River).

12. Snow Mountain Water and Power Company (South Fork Eel River, Mendocino County, Coast Range).

13. S. P. Dunn (North Fork Feather River).

14. M. C. Taylor and John Neate (North and Middle Forks of Yuba River).

The last three proposals indicated in the above list were originally submitted, but were not re-submitted after the destruction of your records, but, nevertheless, your Committee has given them brief consideration.

The necessity for the acquisition of a municipal water supply is more urgent at the present period than ever before in the City's history. It has become almost axiomatic that if the City had proceeded with diligence to acquire a municipal water system and had acquired one before our recent great disaster, our city would not now be in ruins. The procrastination and the delays which have intervened in the acquisition of this great municipal necessity during former years has been attributed to many causes, none of which your Committee is prepared to vouch for, but some of which it may be well to mention:

(a) Active opposition by the existing water monopoly of San Francisco.

(b) Obstinacy of certain municipal officials in favor of a single pet idea.

(c) The frequent changes of municipal officials, by reason whereof continuity of consideration and action could not be had.

It seems to your Committee that the highest duty of the Board of Supervisors to the people today is to proceed along sensible lines to ac-

quire with the least possible delay, with the utmost expedition and at the lowest practical cost, an adequate water supply. And to this end your Committee has given the subjects before it a rapid general consideration with a view to starting proceedings along proper channels for the immediate acquisition of such supply, recommending that the details of consideration be left to a board of competent engineers for thorough investigation and early report.

The subject of water supply and fire protection for the City was recently carefully considered by the sub-committee of the Committee on Reconstruction of San Francisco, consisting of Major C. H. McKinstry, Corps of Engineers U. S. A.; Thos. P. Woodward, City Engineer of San Francisco; J. Dalzell Brown, Vice-President and Manager Cal. Safe Deposit and Trust Co.; V. G. Bogue, member American Society of Civil Engineers; Chas. D. Marx, member of American Society Civil Engineers; A. M. Hunt, member American Society of Civil Engineers; Edwin Dur-yea Jr., member of American Society of Civil Engineers; Marsden Manson, member of American Society of Civil Engineers; all distinguished and prominent in their work, and who unanimously presented an able and valuable report on this subject matter.

We quote a few lines from said report: "The demand for water at the time when the 'earthquake-fire' occurred had reached a point where it was practically equal to the developed supply. . . . The present consumption is less than immediately prior to the fire, and the delivering capacity of the system is likewise somewhat reduced by the destruction of the Pilarcitos conduit. The consumption, however, will rapidly increase, and in a short time the demand will exceed the immediate available supply. The fire, therefore, has not done away with the necessity of taking immediate steps toward securing an increased supply. . . . The protection against fire afforded by the system of the Spring Valley Water Company was inadequate, even as it existed before the 'earthquake-fire,' and the less severe requirements then considered sufficient. The system is in a less efficient state now than before the

fire, and as shown by the earthquake, the emergency requirements are much more severe than heretofore realized. In order to secure certainty of fire protection, it is imperative that the City own or control its own water supply. . . . We endorse the action already taken by the city authorities for the acquisition of a municipal water supply, and recommend that the construction of the special fire protection system and the acquisition of a municipal system be carried out as quickly as possible."

Moved by the overwhelmingly apparent necessities of the City, as well as by the conclusions just quoted of the eminent sub-committee, your Special Committee has labored diligently to present its prompt recommendations. Upon consideration of the proposals submitted it is clear that some of them are so indefinite and vague as not to justify the expenditure of time or thought by your body, others refer to sources of supply so remote that they cannot be considered in an economical scheme of water supply, while still others are upon their face so barren of merit by reason of lack of title or other reasons, that your committee feels constrained to recommend that they are not entitled to further consideration, while a number present upon their face evidence of such careful preparation and of such apparent merit as to justify the necessary expense and labor of further consideration and examination, with a view to eventual acquisition and development of a municipal water supply for San Francisco, and your committee herewith submits its preliminary conclusions upon the following propositions submitted, but before doing so your committee reports that it has also considered the proposed Tuolumne water supply, although this proposition was not formally presented and is not included in the list of proposals made in response to the invitation extended by your Board.

And as to this proposition your Committee states that while a good deal of time and money has been expended by the City in investigating this source of supply and in planning for its eventual development and acquisition, the possibility of this acquisition is still as remote as

it ever was, and in view of the difficulties of securing titles and the opposition of the people in its vicinity, and threatened litigation, your Committee endorses and confirms the former action taken by your Honorable Board resolving to discontinue further consideration of this scheme; and in this connection your Committee calls attention to the protest filed by some 1200 or 1300 property owners of the district affected, recently filed with your Honorable Board, setting forth grounds of opposition and intention to contest the taking of this water by the City of San Francisco. As to the fourteen written propositions referred to, your Committee reports, first, as to the three not resubmitted on June 21, 1906, to wit: (13) S. P. Dunn (Feather River). This river is at too great a distance from San Francisco, being in an air line 182 miles away, and the cost of a pipe line would be, in the opinion of this Committee, absolutely prohibitory.

The cost of a mile of such pipe line as is necessary for such a water supply is not less than from \$100,000 to \$150,000.

14. M. C. Taylor and John Neate (North and Middle Forks of Yuba River). This source would also necessitate an extremely long pipe line; besides this, its watershed has many operating mines, and some 5000 people live thereon. There would, apparently, be conflict also with power companies and with the irrigated districts tributary to this river.

15. Snow Mountain Power and Water Co. (South Fork of the Eel River). This is a Coast Range water supply, while the demand of the people has been for many years for a Sierra system.

It would seem also that without the greatest expense unpolluted water could not be delivered at San Francisco from this source, as it would require the conjunction of the water of the Eel River with those of the Russian River to make the supply equal to that called for.

Passing now to the remaining eleven proposals (twice submitted) we find:

1. Lake Tahoe and San Francisco Water Works. This system is at a greater distance from San Francisco than many of the others submitted. The difficulty and expense of bring-

ing water across the high Sierras into the Valley are so great as to be almost impracticable and, moreover, interference with the waters of Lake Tahoe would bring on controversy with the people of Nevada and the Government of the United States, which are utilizing all the waters available from this source for power and irrigation.

2. Hugo D. Newhouse. No source or price is mentioned and, therefore, we dismiss it from consideration.

3. Russell L. Dunn (North Fork American River). Mr. Dunn is a well-known engineer who has been associated with the consideration of water questions both in an official and unofficial capacity for many years in this City. The American River, in all its Forks, seems to present available water supplies for this City. We believe that Mr. Dunn's proposition is entitled to careful consideration.

4. J. E. Russell (North and Middle Forks of the American River). Mr. Russell's rights are only riparian rights and he does not appear to have any claim for diversion of flood waters. Mr. Russell claims to own a comparatively small tract of land on the banks of the River, and bases his rights on this ownership.

A number of claims for diversion above his land would and do seriously conflict with Mr. Russell's claim even if he had any rights. We do not think it advisable to pursue an investigation of this proposition.

5. Scofield Construction Co. This Company did not state the source from which it proposed to take water, but it has lately been intimated that it was from the flood waters of the San Joaquin River without reservoir storage.

This scheme was elaborately considered by the municipal authorities as far back as 1874 and 1875. On account of the indefiniteness of the project, the failure to state any details, the character of the source proposed and the preference of the people of San Francisco for a source of water originating and taken in the high mountains of the Sierras, we recommend no further action on this proposition.

6. Bay Cities Water Co. (South Fork American River and North Fork Cosumnes River). This project

has been presented in much greater detail than any other proposition.

It has apparently been carefully considered from an engineering standpoint, and the statements of its rights are such as to make it evident that this Company has a practical and available source of supply.

We recommend a further examination and investigation of this project.

7. Northern Sierra Water and Power Co. (Feather River). This source of supply is amenable to the same objections which we have suggested to No. 13 above (S. P. Dunn), and we therefore recommend that no further investigation be had along this source.

8. Wm. Muir (North and Middle Forks of American River). While this project does not appeal strongly to your Committee by reason of its apparent lack of preparation and consideration by competent engineers, we recommend that it also be considered with the other sources of supply originating on the American River.

9. Orrin S. Henderson (Middle Fork of American River). This proposal seems to conflict with the claims of Wm. Muir and J. E. Russell, but as its source is also at the American River, we believe it would be well to examine into this proposal.

10. Sierra Nevada Water and Power Co. The Mokelumne River produces a large quantity of water and seems to be, of all sources, the nearest to San Francisco. We believe that this project should be further considered by the Board.

11. Stanislaus Electric Power Co. This project contains no specific offer and does not seem to be presented by the Company, but only by one of the individuals interested therein.

It is, in fact, simply a statement that if certain plans are prepared by the Board of Supervisors, an offer may be presented.

The diversion of this water would probably raise the objections of owners in the adjacent counties, as would be the case with the Tuolumne River.

It seems to us that the policy of the City should be, other things being equal, to take waters, if possible, from the sections of the State where no harm would be done to surround-

ing lands or inhabitants, keeping in view always the relative cost and adequacy both of quality and quantity of the various sources of supply.

Your Committee believes that to investigate at length all of the proposals submitted would be merely a waste of time and delay of necessary action. It has, therefore, decided to suggest the further investigation of such of the proposals as upon their face, and after the brief investigation we have been able to give the matter, warrant the belief that a practicable and economical water system can be developed therefrom.

Your Committee, therefore, recommends that the following projects submitted be further investigated, with a view to the eventual acquisition of one of them, to wit:

1. Russell L. Dunn (North Fork American River).
2. Orrin S. Henderson (Middle Fork American River).
3. William Muir (North and Middle Forks American River).
4. Bay Cities Water Co. (South Fork American River and North Fork Cosumnes River).
5. Sierra Nevada Water and Power Co. (Mokelumne River).

And in order that the best expert opinion may be obtained and the result of thorough examination by competent engineers may be had, your Committee recommends that a Board of three engineers be appointed to make such investigation, with instructions to report at the earliest practicable moment the result of their examination and investigation of the said respective sources of water supply and to recommend which of them in their judgment is most available from every standpoint, for the city's present and future needs.

And your Committee further recommends that his Honor the Mayor be authorized and empowered to name and appoint such engineers as in his judgment may be most fitted for carrying out this work.

Your Committee further recommends that the City Engineer be ex-officio a member of the Board of Engineers.

Respectfully submitted.

JENNINGS PHILLIPS.

JAS. F. KELLY.

E. J. WALSH.

CHAS. BOXTON.

JAMES L. GALLAGHER.

Committee

Adopted.

Thereupon, Supervisor Phillips introduced the following Resolution, which was, on his motion, adopted.

Mayor Appoint Board of Engineers to Examine into Availability of Water Supplies.

Resolution No. 202 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The Special Committee of this Board for the consideration of the proposed sites for a municipal water supply has rendered and filed its report recommending the appointment of his Honor the Mayor of competent engineers to act with the City Engineer to investigate the merits and availability of the proposed municipal water supplies and sites heretofore filed; therefore be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby respectfully authorized and requested to appoint three (3) competent, skillful and experienced engineers, who shall act in conjunction with the City Engineer, for the purpose of investigating the merits of said propositions for municipal water supply sites, and to report their conclusions to this Board at the earliest possible date.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payments, Repairs of Streets.

Resolution No. 203 (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$3094.94 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to City Street Improvement Company for bitumea repairs of streets as follows:

As per award No. 6446.....\$2172.72
As per award No. 6676..... 922.22

Total\$3094.94

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Loneragan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sander-son Walsh, Wilson—17

Authorizing Payment, Express Charges.

Resolution No. 204 (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$585.75, to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to Wells Fargo & Co. Express for transportation of coin to State Treasurer, Sacramento, Cal., as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17

Authorizing Payment, Typewriting Machines.

Resolution No. 205 (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$525, to be made out of the Surplus Fund, in payment to F. J. Cooper for three typewriters at \$175.00 apiece furnished the Recorder's office as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17

Authorizing Payment, Recorder's Books.

Resolution No. 206 (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$1900, to be made out of the Surplus Fund, in payment to Phillips and Van Orden Co. for furnishing index, deed, and mortgage books for Recorder's office, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17

Authorizing Payment, for Printing Election Laws.

Resolution No. 207 (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$763, to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to Phillips & Van Orden Co. for 4000 copies of Election Laws, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17

Boiler Permit.

Resolution No. 208 (New Series). Granting H. A. Sartori permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of 3 horse power in premises situate at No. 484 Haight street, to be used for heating water for cleaning dairy utensils.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17

Extension Time, Street Work.

Resolution No. 209 (New Series). Granting Clark & Henry an extension

of thirty days' time from and after July 15, 1906, within which to complete the contract to pave the roadway of Van Ness avenue between Fulton and McAllister streets and between Geary and Eddy streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17

Full Acceptance Streets.

Bill No. 45, Ordinance No. 39 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the full acceptance of the roadway of California street between the westerly line of Parker avenue and the easterly line of First avenue, the roadway of Fourth avenue between Point Lobos avenue and A street, the roadway of Waller street between Clayton and Cole streets, and the roadway of Seventh avenue between Point Lobos avenue and Clement street, paved with bituminous rock."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17

Presentation of Bills and Accounts.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$9406.38, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 3628 to 3720 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Gallagher, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Paving of Valencia Street.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$40,918.67, to be made out of the Street

Construction Account of the Public Building Fund in payment to the City Street Improvement Company for labor and material for paving Valencia street from Eighteenth to Mission streets, in accordance with Resolution of Award No. 6434 of the Board of Works.

Authorizing Payment, Fourth of July Committee Expenses.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2487.91, to be made out of the General Fund, 1906-07, in payment to Edwin W. Joy, President Fourth of July Committee, for expenses incurred in the celebration of the Fourth of July, 1906, per bills rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Forage and Fuel, Fire Department.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3386.50, to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to the following firms for forage, fuel, etc., furnished the Fire Department:

To Simon Erlanger, June, 1906.	\$971.31
To Scott & Magner, June, 1906.	1,340.51
To Thomas Morton, June, 1906.	522.75
To Somers & Co., March, 1906.	551.93

Total\$3,386.50

Authorizing Payment, Printing for Board of Election Commissioners.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$742, to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to Phillips & Van Orden Co. for 3000 manuals of registration, as per contract and bill rendered.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Duffy:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Kohl Building permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain engines and boilers of 450 horsepower in premises situate at northeast corner of California and Montgomery streets, the same to be used for power plant.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the California Canning Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and two boilers in premises situate at Eighteenth and Minnesota streets,

the same to be used in the process of canning fruit.

Oil Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the California Canning Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank of 3000 gallons capacity at premises situate at Eighteenth and Minnesota streets, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Kohl Building permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain two storage tanks of 7500 gallons capacity at premises situate on northeast corner of California and Montgomery streets, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum, to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Also Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting W. W. Montague permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank of not more than 2000 gallons capacity, at premises situate at Kentucky and Seventeenth streets, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Full Acceptance, Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 46, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled: "Providing for the full acceptance of the roadways of Belvedere street between the southerly line of Grattan street and the southerly line of Parnassus avenue, the roadway of Grattan street between Cole and Belvedere streets, the crossing of Baker and Oak streets and the crossing of Vallejo and Broderick streets, paved with bituminous rock."

Extension Time, Street Work.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Barber Asphalt Paving Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after August 5, 1906, within which to complete the contract for repaving Kearny street between California street and Montgomery avenue.

Permit to Blast.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Frank B. Gilbreth permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for building purposes at the corner of California and Drumm streets; provided said Frank B. Gilbreth shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works in communication filed July 19, 1906, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Referred.

Authorizing Board of Health to Remove Persons Afflicted with Certain Contagious Diseases.

Supervisor Lonergan introduced Bill No. 47, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled: "Authorizing and empowering the Board of Health of the City and County of San Francisco to remove persons afflicted with smallpox, cholera, yellow fever, bubonic plague or typhus fever," which was,

On his motion, ordered referred to the Hospital and Health Committee.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Undertaker's Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Wilson: Resolution No. 210 (New Series), Granting Monahan & Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to conduct and maintain an undertaking and embalming establishment at premises No. 1304 Guerrero street.

Providing for Removal of Debris from Public Property.

Also, Resolution No. 211 (New Series), as follows: "Resolved, that the sum of five thousand (\$5000) dollars be and the same is hereby set aside out of the surplus fund for the purpose of enabling the Board of Public Works to remove debris from public property, and from streets in front of public property, work to be commenced in the first instance on Larkin street, between City Hall avenue and McAllister street, in front of the City Hall.

"The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and empowered to

expend said sum for the purposes hereinabove indicated, and the attention of the Auditor and Treasurer is hereby called to the provisions of this Resolution."

The Roll was called on the adoption of the last numbered Resolution, with the following result:

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

DELIVERY OF THE ASSESSMENT ROLL OF 1906-1907.

The Chair announced that the Assessment Roll of Real and Personal Property for the fiscal year 1906-1907, consisting of 60 Volumes of Real Estate and Secured Personal Property Assessments, 17 Volumes of Unsecured Personal Property Assessments, 4 Volumes of Indexes to Assessments and 60 Volumes of Plat Books of Real Estate, had been delivered to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors on July 21, 1906, in accordance with law, and that the Military Roll of 1906-7, heretofore prepared by the Tax Collector, had been destroyed by the fire of April 18, 1906.

Communications.

The following Communications were received, read and ordered filed:

Relating to Time of Delivery of Assessment Roll and to Period for Equalization of Assessments.

State Board of Equalization, State of California, Alex Brown, Chairman; T. M. Eby, Clerk, San Francisco.

Sacramento, June 29th, 1906.

To the County Auditor of San Francisco, City and County,—

I, T. M. Eby, Clerk of the Board of Equalization, do hereby certify that the following is a copy of an order made by said Board and entered upon its minutes:

"It is hereby ordered that the time for the completion of the Assessment Book or Roll of San Francisco County and the delivery thereof to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of said County be, and the same is hereby extended from the first Monday in July, 1900, to Saturday, July 21st, 1906, inclusive;

"It is further ordered that the time for the County Board of Equalization of said County, to equalize the assessment of property in the County for the year 1906 be, and the same is hereby extended to Saturday, July 28th, 1906, inclusive;

"And it is further ordered that the Auditor of said County have until Saturday, August 18th, 1906, to report to the State Board of Equalization and the Controller, as required by Section 3728 of the Political Code."

Please notify the Assessor and the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors hereof. Respectfully,

T. M. EBY,

Clerk of the State Board of Equalization.

ASSESSOR'S ANNUAL REPORT.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco,—

Gentlemen: I herewith turn over to Your Honorable Board for Equalization, the Assessment Roll of this City.

The total of the Roll is \$375,000,-000, or an excess of \$50,000,000 over the amount on which your revenue for the ensuing fiscal year was estimated. This assessment, allowing for delinquencies, will bring into the City treasury a surplus of approximately \$500,000. This will enable Your Honorable Board to make some of the many necessary public improvements, and will also, I trust, permit the maintenance of all departments of our City government, at the highest standard of efficiency.

During the past three weeks this office has collected and paid into the City treasury as taxes on unsecured personal property \$310,000. Our collections of poll taxes amount to \$69,937.

Very respectfully,

WASHINGTON DODGE,

Assessor.

Relating to Non-delivery of Military Roll.

San Francisco, July 21st, 1906.
To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, City,—

Gentlemen: This is to notify your Honorable Body that the Military Roll for 1905 was destroyed by fire in the City Hall on April 19th. We had this Roll all completed and

bound in book form ready for delivery at this time. As the records from which this Roll was made have been destroyed, it will be impossible for this office to furnish you with a copy for 1905.

Yours respectfully,

J. F. NICHOLS,

Tax Collector.

PROCEEDINGS OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

Thereupon, the Board proceeded to and examined the Assessment Roll.

Resolution Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted by the following votes:

Board to Sit as a Board of Equalization to July 28, 1906.

On motion of Supervisor McGushin:

Resolution No. 212 (New Series), as follows: "Resolved, that the Board of Supervisors, having met on this (Monday) afternoon, July 23, 1906, and examined the Assessment Books of Real and Personal Property for the year 1906-1907, will thereafter be in session as a Board of Equalization from time to time until Saturday, July 28, 1906, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of hearing applications, verified by oath, for the correction of assessments on said assessment books."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Wash, Wilson—17.

Adopting a Rule as to the Manner of Increasing Assessments.

Also, Resolution No. 213, (New Series), as follows:

"Adopting a rule as to the manner in which persons, firms, companies and corporations are to be notified why their assessments for the fiscal year 1906-1907 should not be increased by the Board of Supervisors sitting as a Board of Equalization.

"Resolved, That it is hereby adopted as a rule of this Board that the notice required to be given under the provisions of Section 3673 of the Political Code to corporations or persons to show cause why their assessments on the assessment book of real and personal property for the fiscal year 1906-1907 shall not be increased, will be as follows:

"To corporations: A written or printed notice addressed to the president, secretary or managing agent of each corporation, and delivered by the sergeant-at-arms of this Board at the office of each corporation in this city.

"To persons, firms or companies: A written or printed notice, postage prepaid and mailed to their address.

"The Clerk is hereby directed to cause to be delivered or mailed to the several corporations, persons, firms or companies, when designated by this Board, the said notice at least twelve (12) hours prior to the time set for hearing said parties as aforesaid."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17

Assessor Add to Assessment Roll Property Escaping Taxation.

Also, Resolution No. 214 (New Series), as follows: "Resolved, that the Assessor be and he is hereby authorized to add to the assessment books, according to law, during the time the Board of Supervisors is sitting as a Board of Equalization, all property which may have escaped taxation during the fiscal year 1906-1907, and to make corrections of clerical errors from time to time, and to furnish a list thereof at the last meeting of the Board of Supervisors while sitting as a Board of Equalization for the fiscal year 1906-1907."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17

Board to Sit as Board of Equalization, July 26, 1906.

Also, Resolution No. 215 (New Series), as follows: "Resolved, that this Board shall meet on Thursday, July 26, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m., as a Board of Equalization to examine applicants for reduction of assessments who have filed sworn applications as required by law, and to perform such other duties as may come before said Board."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock,

McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Motion.

Supervisor Boxtton moved that all discussion in the matter of equalizing of assessments be deferred until the next sitting of the Board of Equalization.

So ordered.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Departments Requested to File Recommendations for Construction of Buildings Authorized by Bond Issue.

On motion of Supervisor Boxtton: Resolution No. 216 (New Series), as follows: "Resolved, that the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby directed to transmit to the Board of Education, the Board of Library Trustees, the Board of Health, the Sheriff and the Board of Police Commissioners copies of Ordinance No. 1767, providing a general plan for the construction of all public buildings to be erected by the City and County of San Francisco, from the proceeds of the sale of its municipal bonds issued for such construction, approved March 12, 1906, and also a copy of Ordinance No. 1783, amending said Ordinance No. 1767 with relation to the payment of architects' fees, approved March 20, 1906; and the attention of said departments and officers is hereby called to the provisions of Section 2 of said Ordinance No. 1767, wherein and whereby said boards or officers shall first determine the necessity of constructing the buildings proposed under the bond issue for public improvements and upon such expression to transmit to the Board of Supervisors their determination in the premises, with the request that departments and officers take prompt and affirmative action immediately."

Fire and Water Committee to Report on System of Cisterns for Fire Protection.

On motion of Supervisor Coffey: Resolution No. 217 (New Series), as follows:

"Whereas, the recent disaster has conclusively demonstrated the imperative need of an immediate system of fire protection, and

"Whereas, The partial system of water cisterns at street crossings, existing at the time of the fire, proved of great advantage, and would, if more generally adopted perhaps have enabled our Fire Department to extinguish the conflagration, and

"Whereas, A system of cisterns containing large quantities of water would render the city partially independent of future breaks in the city's distributing system; therefore, be it

"Resolved, That the Joint Fire and Water Committees of this Board be and they are hereby requested to report as soon as possible upon a system of cisterns for fire protection.

"First: As to its desirability.

"Second: As to its cost.

"Third: As to its locations.

"Fourth: As to time necessary for its construction.

"Fifth: As to such other matters as may occur to this committee in connection therewith."

Temporary Frame Structures Forbidden on Business Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Duffy:

Resolution No. 218 (New Series), as follows:

"Whereas, Notwithstanding the enactment by this Board of the building laws, many property owners, and especially many speculating lessees, are erecting on our principal business streets flimsy one-story frame structures, which are a menace from a fire standpoint to the city's safety, and from the standpoint of the city's future will be a great detriment, and

"Whereas, The erection of such fragile structures are not only a violation of law, but are also an injury to the city's progress, and

"Whereas, Such flimsy buildings are not permitted under the building law, nor are they longer permitted under the emergency proclamation of his Honor the Mayor, which was superseded by the enactment of the building law; therefore be it

"Resolved, That the Chief of Police and the Board of Public Works be and they are hereby directed to stop the erection of any more temporary frame structures (except in accordance with the provisions of the

building law) with particular reference to our business streets."

Temporary Municipal Buildings to be Placed on Public Property.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan:

Resolution No. 219 (New Series), as follows:

"Whereas, Mr. A. B. McCreery has offered in writing the use of his certain lot of land on the northeast corner of Eighth and Mission streets for a term of three years for the construction of a temporary City Hall for the accommodation of the municipal offices and departments upon the consideration that the taxes for city purposes approximating the sum of \$4000 annually be remitted;

"Resolved, That this Board of Supervisors expresses on behalf of the City and County of San Francisco, and the citizens and residents thereof, its grateful appreciation of the public-spirited and generous offer of Mr. McCreery; and be it further

"Resolved, That this Board regrets the inadvisability of the acceptance of Mr. McCreery's munificent proposal, while there are several unoccupied available sites and large lots of public land adapted to and suitable for occupancy of a temporary City Hall; be it further

"Resolved, By this Board of Supervisors, that all temporary buildings for municipal purposes be placed upon available land owned by the City and County of San Francisco, and that no leases or other agreements be entered into by the municipality for the establishment of any temporary public buildings upon private property."

Relating to Location of Temporary City Hall and Hall of Justice.

Also, Resolution No. 220 (New Series), as follows: "Resolved, That a committee of three (3) members of this Board be appointed to confer with his Honor the Mayor and the Board of Park Commissioners relative to the advisability and expediency of establishing a temporary City Hall upon a portion of Jefferson or Union Squares, and the temporary location of the Hall of Justice on a portion of Portsmouth Square."

Appointment of Special Committee.

Thereupon, the Chair appointed

Supervisors Lonergan, Duffy and Wilson as members of Special Committee provided for by Resolution No. 220 (New Series).

Adopted.

Appointment of Clerks of Board of Equalization.

Under suspension of the rules, Supervisor Lonergan introduced the following Resolution, which was, on his motion, adopted by the following vote:

"Resolved, That the following-named be and they are hereby appointed as clerks of the Board of Supervisors sitting as a Board of Equalization, to assist the taxpayers in the examination of the assessment roll for 1906-1907: William M. Edgar, Samuel Beckett, Michael J. Welch, W. Williamson, Thomas McCarthy, Charles Godsil, C. Mogan, Ed Foster, Fred H. Carter, Jacob Harris, J. Golden, Fred Heyer, P. J. Meehan, William London."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 5:30 o'clock adjourned to meet on Wednesday, July 25, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 25, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, July 25, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called, and the following Supervisors noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Duffey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journal of the meeting of July 12, 1906, was read and approved.

The reading of the Journals of subsequent meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Light Committee.

Petition: Of D. J. O'Connor and others, for the installation of an arc light at the corner of Sacramento and Spruce streets.

To the Finance Committee.

Petitions: Of Mrs. W. A. King, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$20.50, unearned rental paid for premises situate in Library Block.

Of McAvoy & O'Hara, for the refunding to them of the sum of \$40.00, unearned rental paid for premises situate in Library Block.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions: Of Dr. G. Cornet, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 200 gallons capacity for the purpose of heating water in a bathing establishment in premises No. 2354 Pine street.

Of M. Kubata, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 10-horsepower in premises situate at No. 865 Bush street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Of C. B. Mann, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 8-horsepower in premises situate at No. 280 Seventh street, the same to be used for cleaning purposes.

Of D. C. Talbot, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 75-horsepower in premises situate at No. 115 Main street, the same to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Of Abner Doble Company, for permission to store and use crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boiler in premises situate in South Beach Block No. 36.

To the Outside Lands Committee.

Petitions: Of E. M. Brewer, for a grant of land in Western Addition Block No. 224.

Of Annie Langley (wife of Chas. F. Langley), for a grant of land in Western Addition Block No. 457.

Of Wm. A. McKee, for a grant of land in Western Addition Block No. 277.

Of D. S. Jacobs and Ed Weinlander, for a grant of land in Western Addition Block No. 362.

Of Martha Ijams, for an amended City deed to a portion of Outside Land Block No. 1090.

Of Catharine T. McCormick (single), for an amended City deed to a portion of Western Addition Block No. 50.

Of Marlin Simpson (wife of Alfred Hazard Simpson), for an amended City deed to a portion of Western Addition Block No. 382.

Of Philip Yager and Ursula Yager (his wife), for an amended City deed to a portion of Western Addition Block No. 593.

To the Police Committee.

Communication: From Lena Week, with demand in the sum of \$95, being alleged value of watch claimed to have been held by the Property Clerk of the Police Department, and lost in the fire of April 18th, 1906, in the Hall of Justice.

To the Joint Committee on Police and Streets, Sewers and Parks.

Bond: Of Frank B. Gilbreth, in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars, with the National Surety Company as surety thereon, said bond being filed in the matter of a permit to blast at premises situate at the corner of California and Drumm streets.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petition: Of the American Biscuit Company, for permit to blast for the purpose of removing the ruins of former factory on Battery street between Vallejo and Broadway streets.

Protest: Of Rev. M. Neumann, Rector of St. Boniface's Church, against changing the grade on Golden Gate avenue between Jones and Leavenworth streets.

To the Special Committee on Water Supply.

Communication: From Hon. James D. Phelan and Marsden Manson, requesting a hearing for the purpose of presenting the merits of the Tuolumne River and Hetch-Hetchy Valley system of water supply.

To the Committee of the Whole.

Communication: From Stablemen's Union No. 876J, favoring the repeal of the present stable ordinance, requiring the consent of the owners of property to be obtained before permission to construct stables is granted.

FILE.

A petition of Irving F. Moulton, to deny the application to change the name of Devisadero street to Funston avenue, was received, read and ordered placed on file.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending that a sum sufficient to defray the cost of transferring to and installing the several departments of said Board on the corner of McAllister street and City Hall avenue, be set aside out of the Budget appropriation of \$150,000, for the rehabilitation of Municipal Offices.

From the Board of Public Library Trustees, submitting inventory of property belonging to the City and County of San Francisco and under their control and jurisdiction on July 1st, 1906.

Special Report of Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee on Condition of Streets, on Spur Tracks and on So-Called Emergency Tracks.

The following Report was received, read, and, on motion of Supervisor Kelly, *adopted*.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

Your Committee on Streets, Sewers and Parks, respectfully beg leave to submit the following special report regarding the condition of several of the most important streets of San Francisco that should be rehabilitated to normal condition for the promotion and welfare and transaction of business and private enterprises.

Your Committee on Streets have made several tours of inspection and while they feel the work is great, and will require considerable money, yet we must cope with the situation in an energetic, intelligent and persevering way.

The clearing of debris from the streets after the passage of Bill No. 38, on July 9th, 1906, has induced several property owners to begin clearing in front of their lots, and considerable of the work is now being done.

In this regard a preliminary appropriation of \$5,000.00 has been made by your Honorable Board on Monday, July 23d, 1906, for the clearing of all debris in front of city property. The work must be performed by the Board of Public Works, and your Street Committee will see to it that it is properly and quickly done. The several complaints and

communications referred by your Honorable Board to this Committee has received due consideration, and upon personal investigation, we find that many of them are well grounded, and that the present congested condition should be corrected.

Most of the complaints from property owners on Howard street, Spear street, Davis street, Front street, Washington and Clay streets, need immediate attention.

Your Committee paid personal attention to the present condition of the streets from a business and practical point of view, feeling that the resumption of business needs our immediate attention, so that no interruption or congestion should exist in the using of the streets of San Francisco.

The United Railroads of San Francisco, especially south of Market, and east of Twelfth street, have many of their rails in the unused road, in a very bad condition, impairing the use of these streets by vehicles and teams, and in some instances, like on Eighth street, between Mission and Howard streets, and on Mission and Seventh streets, not on official grade.

The so-called emergency tracks on Howard street and Steuart street are a drawback on improvement in that location.

Many property owners petitioned on July 19th your Committee in regard to the removal of this track, complaining that:

The said tracks are a public nuisance, they seriously obstruct traffic on said street, and this at a time when such obstruction is especially detrimental to the public interests.

The obstruction of traffic prevents the leasing of property fronting on said street to the great financial loss of the owners thereof, and seriously retarding the rebuilding of business blocks and general rehabilitation.

The removal of debris, the alleged purpose of laying said tracks, is not as a matter of fact being facilitated thereby and could be much more rapidly and effectively accomplished by small dump cars operated by electricity on the existing tracks of the United Railways on said street.

The United Railroads shall under its franchises at once clear its roadbed and tracks on Howard street, and quickly resume the operation of its electric trolley lines for passengers,

thereby curing Howard street of its existing paralysis, making it accessible to the people, and in such manner aiding to build up all those burned over lots.

The emergency track on Howard and Steuart streets in the judgment of your Committee, should be removed, and further recommend the removal of tracks on Davis street north, thus opening a way of communication between the Mail Dock and North Beach.

The crossing of all other streets where emergency tracks are laid, as we understand by special permission of his Honor the Mayor, should be improved and relaid, if at all necessary, at grade in crossing the streets.

One of the streets used by teaming and business in general is Berry street.

An emergency track was laid by the Southern Pacific Company from Fourth to Seventh street in the middle of the street, and from Fourth to Third street on the sidewalk.

This very track, instead of performing emergency work for which special permission, as it is said, was given by His Honor the Mayor, your committee found that it is used as a spur track and a sidetrack only, cars being loaded and unloaded on the street and on the sidewalk. This track should be removed. Your Committee finds that the opening of Berry street from Second to Third streets is of great necessity.

The filling in of the State property by the Southern Pacific Company under lease from the Harbor Commissioners of the New Mail Dock, and the Oriental trade at this point demand as a business necessity the opening of this block.

Also, in our judgment, the grade on Japan street should be raised to the official grade from Townsend street to Brannan street.

The condition created by the resumption of business demands that Front street should be cleaned from Market street to its northerly point at East street and that emergency tracks on all streets, especially Davis street, where several business houses have resumed business, should be taken up. The clearing up of lower Clay street, Washington street and many other down-town streets where business has become almost normal, should receive attention.

The sprinkling of these streets should be resumed so as to relieve the present abnormal congested and dusty condition.

The repaving of the crossing of Fourth and Brannan streets should receive immediate attention.

Folsom street between Sixth and Seventh streets is in a very bad condition, brought about either by the emergency work done by the gas and water companies or United Railroads or by broken sewers.

Sixth street is also in a very bad condition, and as the new wholesale district is locating near the railroad yards we feel that all the streets, especially from Second to Eighth streets south of Market street, should be put in good condition as soon as possible.

To do so, all sewer work now under way should proceed without unnecessary delay, especially the Sixth-street sewer and the crossing of Sixth and Brannan streets which is of great importance to the resumption and facilitation of business in that locality.

The crossing of Bryant and Eighth streets is below the grade caused by what your Committee believes the breaking of the pipes on either the gas or water companies.

The repaving of Mission street between Fifth and Sixth streets is retarded by the laying of the conduit of the Police and Fire Alarm system.

The many spur track privileges before your Honorable Board prompted this Committee to a searching investigation of the uses and abuses of these privileges.

To correct any possible abuse of these special privileges, your Committee have prepared an Ordinance which we believe will correct them.

Respectfully submitted.

L. A. REA.

W. W. SANDERSON.

JENNINGS PHILLIPS.

M. W. COFFEY.

Referred

Regulating Construction and Use of Spur Tracks.

Supervisor Rea introduced Bill No. 48, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for and regulating the construction, maintenance and use of spur or side tracks on and over public streets within the City and County of San Francisco, and fixing penalties for the violation thereof," which was,

On his motion, ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Judiciary and Streets, Sewers and Parks.

Special Order.

Intention to Change Grades on Golden Gate Avenue Between Jones and Leavenworth Streets.
Motion.

Supervisor Coffey moved that consideration of matter of proposed change of grade on Golden Gate avenue between Jones and Leavenworth streets be postponed until Monday, July 30, 1906, and made a Special Order of Business for 3 p. m.

So ordered.

NEW BUSINESS.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted.

Undertaker's Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. 222 (New Series), Granting permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to McGinn Bros. to conduct an undertaking and embalming establishment at premises located 1826 Eddy street.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Relating to Removal of Refugees to Duboce Park.

Supervisor Boxton inquired whether or not any action had been taken by the Hospital and Health, and Streets, Sewers and Parks Committees on the protest of Refugees against removal of camp from Dolores street between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets to Duboce Park. Supervisor Lonergan, Chairman of the Hospital and Health Committee, stated that no action had been taken, inasmuch as the Board of Health had removed the camp on the ground that it was unsanitary—the refugees of the camp were now quarantined in Duboce Park.

Motion.

Supervisor Rea moved that the Committees examine into the sanitary condition of Duboce Park.

So ordered.

Adopted.

Supervisor Rea introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Providing for Removal of Temporary Tracks from Howard, Steuart, Davis and Battery Streets.

Resolved, That in accordance with the report of the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee of the Board of Supervisors, this day adopted by said Board, the persons, associations, or cor-

porations maintaining the so-called temporary tracks on Howard, Steuart, Davis and Battery streets, in this City and County, including all ties and earth used in the laying of said temporary tracks, be and they are hereby directed to remove the same within forty-eight (48) hours after service of this Resolution by the Board of Public Works.

In the event of the failure or refusal of said persons, association or corporations to comply with the terms of this Resolution, the Chief of Police is hereby directed to arrest the said persons, or the principal officers or agents of said associations or corporations maintaining said tracks, and furthermore, in such event the Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to remove said tracks, and in the doing of said work to employ such men, teams and vehicles as may be necessary.

Adopted. On motion of Supervisor Rea, as Resolution No. 223 (New Series).

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, at the hour of 4:45 o'clock, the Board adjourned to meet on Thursday, July 26, 1906, at 10 a. m., as a Board of Equalization.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

THURSDAY, JULY 26, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Thursday, July 26, 1906, 10 a. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment, to sit as a Board of Equalization to examine and pass upon applications for correction of assessments upon the Assessment Book of Real and Personal Property for the fiscal year 1906-1907, and to transact such other business as may come before said Board.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Loneragan, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Quorum present.

Supervisor McGushin, chairman of the Equalization of Assessments Committee, called to the Chair.

Motion.

Supervisor Gallagher moved that the routine business of the Board be postponed

until Monday, July 23, 1906, at 2 o'clock.

So ordered.

Proceedings of Board of Equalization.

The Chair called upon the Assessor to address the Board in relation to the assessments of the fiscal year 1906-1907.

Assessor's Address.

Thereupon, Washington Dodge, Assessor, addressed the Board, stating in part that owing to the calamity of April 18, 1906, all records of assessments made up to that time for the ensuing fiscal year were destroyed. It was therefore necessary to hasten the work with all possible expedition, in order to complete the Roll within the twenty days' extension of time allowed by the State Board of Equalization.

The Roll being hastily prepared, is of course not beyond criticism, but in the next six months, when values adjust themselves, he expected to revise all assessments.

Consideration of Application for Reduction of Assessments.

The Application numbered 1, of S. F. Thorn, for reduction of assessments on real estate described in Vol. 37, Page 32, Block 167, Subs. 12, 13 and 16, from \$10,220 to \$3200 was taken up and the applicant called for examination.

No response being made, action on the application was deferred temporarily.

The application numbered 2, of Paul Mavrich, for reduction of assessment on real estate described in Vol. 52, Page 30, Subs. 378-379, from \$140 to \$100, was taken up.

Andrew Gecan, representing applicant, was called, duly sworn, and examined, and on motion of Supervisor Bixton said application was taken under advisement, Supervisor Gallagher voting no.

Relating to Extension of Time of Sitting of Board of Equalization.

Motion.

Supervisor Wilson moved that the Board petition the State Board of Equalization to extend the time of the sitting of the County Board of Equalization for a period of twenty (20) days.

Privilege of Floor.

On motion of Supervisor Wilson, the Assessor, Washington Dodge, was granted the privilege of the floor and was heard at length, stating in part

that while he was not opposed to the request being made for an extension of time, the law requires the State Board of Equalization to complete its labors within a certain period, and objection might be made by said Board, inasmuch as the work of the County Board has been practically completed, but two applications for reductions of assessments being filed.

Question.

Whereupon, the question being taken on Supervisor Wilson's motion the same was *carried* by unanimous vote.

Adopted.

Requesting State Board of Equalization to Extend Time for Equalization of Assessments.

Thereupon, Supervisor Coleman introduced the following Resolution, which was *adopted*, as Resolution No. 224 (New Series):

Resolved, That in accordance with an Act of the Legislature, approved June 16, 1906, entitled "An Act to amend Section three thousand seven hundred and five of the Political Code of the State of California, providing for the extension by the State Board of Equalization of the time in which certain boards and officials shall perform certain acts," that the State Board of Equalization be and is hereby requested to extend, for a period of twenty (20) days from and after July 28, 1906, the time within which the County Board of Equalization of San Francisco may equalize the assessment roll, filed by the Assessor in this office July 21, 1906.

Motion.

Supervisor Gallagher moved that the Board sit as a Board of Equalization on Saturday, July 28, 1906, at 10 a. m.
So ordered.

Motion.

Supervisor Gallagher moved that the Order of Business, "Presentation of Bills and Accounts," be considered and that all other business be dispensed with.

So ordered.

Presentation of Bills and Accounts.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$85, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series); and numbered consecutively therein 3721 to 3723 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Gallagher, reported in favor of

allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 11:45 o'clock adjourned to meet on Saturday, July 28, 1906, at 10 a. m., as a Board of Equalization.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

SATURDAY, JULY 28, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Saturday, July 28, 1906, 10 a. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment, to sit as a Board of Equalization for the fiscal year 1906-1907.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Quorum present.

Supervisor McGushin, Chairman of the Equalization of Assessments Committee, presiding.

Extension of Time Granted for Equalization of Assessment Roll 1906-1907.

The Clerk stated that the State Board of Equalization had extended the time for equalizing the Assessment Roll of 1906-1907, to August 11, 1906, and that notice to this effect had been filed with the Auditor.

Communication from State Board of Equalization.

The following Communication was considered, read and filed:

Sacramento, July 27, 1906.

To the County Board of Equalization, City and County of San Francisco. Gentlemen:

I am directed by the State Board of Equalization to acknowledge receipt of Resolution adopted by your Board asking extension of 20 days from July 28th for equalization purposes. I am directed to say that the State Board does not see its way clear to grant 20 days extension, but has, however, granted until and including the 11th day of August next, and this extension is granted on the understanding that

arrangements will be made whereby the Auditor may have access to the rolls and be enabled to compile his report of valuations to this Board, by the 18th of August—the time heretofore granted.

The State Board wishes to say that the State Tax Rate Bill will be levied on Tuesday, September 4th, and it will readily occur to your honorable Board that between August 18th and September 4th is a very limited time in which to consider the reports of counties, particularly in view of a rule of the State Board to cite no county to appear before the Board except upon five days' notice.

Respectfully,

T. M. EBY,

Clerk State Board of Equalization.

Motion.

Supervisor Gallagher moved that the Clerk be directed to advertise in the Official Newspaper a notice, that the Assessment Roll would be open for the inspection of the public until August 6th, 1906, to the hour of 12 m., and also that the Clerk be directed to prepare an amendatory Resolution, relative to the time of the Board clos-

ing its labors as a Board of Equalization.

So ordered.

Adopted.

Board of Equalization to Sit Until August 6, 1906.

Thereupon, the following Resolution was introduced and *adopted* as Resolution No. 225 (New Series):

Resolved, That Resolution No. 212 (New Series), approved July 27, 1906, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors, having met on Monday afternoon, July 23, 1906, and examined the Assessment Books of Real and Personal Property for the year 1906-1907, will thereafter be in session as a Board of Equalization from time to time until Monday, August 6, 1906, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of hearing applications, verified by oath, for the correction of assessments on said assessment books.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 11 o'clock adjourned to meet on Monday, July 30, 1906, at 2 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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Board of Supervisors

MONDAY, JULY 30, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, July 20, 1906, 2 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present: Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Loneragan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of the Meetings of July 16, July 19 and July 23, 1906, were read and approved.

The reading of the Journals of subsequent meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petitions: Of J. P. Gallagher, by Speck and Co., agents, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$149.69 duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

Of Wm. S. McClure, by Speck and Co., agents, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$47.55, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

To the Finance Committee.

Petitions: Of Earnest Gee, for the refunding to him of the unearned rental, from April 18th to May 1st, 1906, on premises occupied by him in Library Block.

Of J. B. Vignau, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$30.80, being unearned rental from April 18 to May 10, 1906, of premises occupied by him in Library Block.

Communication: From San Francisco Gas and Electric Light Company, with claim in the sum of \$16.10, for lighting service at premises known as Mowry's Hall, from April 18th to June 15th, 1906.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions: Of Wells, Fargo & Co., for permission to increase the height of the present Wells, Fargo and Co.'s building at Second and Mission streets.

Of A. Consani, for permission to erect a one-story frame building on the south side of Minna street, 100 feet east of Sixth street.

Of the Eureka California Soda Water Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 35 horse power at premises known as No. 10 Beideman street, the same to be used in the process of manufacturing soda water.

Of St. Francis Technical School, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler at premises situate on the corner of Oak and Webster streets, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Of Adolph Hromada, for permission to store and use crude petroleum as fuel under boilers on premises situate on the northeast corner of Dore and Folsom streets.

Of Robert Pyne and others, favoring the granting of the petition of J. H. Kruse, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler for planing mill purposes on Treat avenue between Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets.

Protest: Of Daniel Keefe and num-

erous other property owners, against granting permission to operate engine and boiler in planing mill on Treat avenue, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets.

Communication: From Journeymen Horseshoers' Union, Local No. 25, recommending that a condition be incorporated in the contract for the shoeing of Fire Department horses, that union or hand-made shoes be used and that they be stamped with the union label.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petitions: Of the City Street Improvement Company, for permission to lay and maintain a spur track, from the Southern Pacific tracks on Harrison street opposite Santa Clara street into the property of the petitioner on Harrison streets between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets.

Of J. G. James and numerous other residents and property owners on Howard and Shotwell streets between Seventeenth and Eighteenth and on Eighteenth between Howard and Folsom streets, to provide for the repair of streets and sewers in that locality.

Communication: From the Merchants' Exchange, suggesting the advisability of allowing railroad companies to use the temporary tracks now on Battery street for the purpose of discharging their cars, especially lumber.

To the Joint Committee on Streets, Sewers and Parks and Police.

Petition: Of E. W. McLellan and Co., for permission to blast in block bounded by Van Ness avenue, Hayes, Grove and Franklin streets, for the purpose of razing ruined walls in said block.

To the Special Committee on Water Supply.

Communication: From Stanislaus Electric Power Company, submitting an amended offer to supply water to San Francisco.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Recorder, recommending that adequate provisions be made for the proper discharge of the work of his office, inasmuch as many new duties have been imposed by law in the work of restoring records.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

From the Auditor, with requisition for six window shades.

From the Board of Public Works, with requisition for two telephones.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of constructing stone sidewalks on both sides of Eighth avenue between Point Lobos avenue and Fulton street and that the expense thereof be assessed on private property.

Also, recommending the grading of the crossing of L street and Ninth avenue and of constructing thereon pipe sewers and culverts and bituminous rock pavement, and that the expense thereof be assessed on private property.

Also, recommending that grades be changed and established at certain points and elevations on Parassus avenue between Willard street and First avenue.

Also, recommending that grades be changed and established at certain points and elevations on Montgomery avenue, on North Point street and on Leavenworth street.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$2000 be set aside for the reconstruction of a sewer on Eighth street between Bryant and Brannan streets.

Also, recommending that the Eureka Construction Company be granted extension of 90 days time from and after July 30th, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of sewers on Seventh avenue between H and L streets, and for the construction of sewers in San Jose avenue, Ocean avenue and Onondago avenue.

Also, recommending that J. J. Dowling be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after September 20th, 1906, within which to complete his contract for the construction of stone culverts and a bituminous rock pavement on the crossing of Tenth avenue and J street.

Also, recommending that J. J. Dowling be granted an extension of 60 days' time from and after August 13, 1906, within which to complete his contract for the construction of stone curbs and a basalt block pavement on Harrison street between Fourth and Sixth streets.

Also, recommending that J. J. Dowling be granted an extension of 60

days' time from and after September 20th, 1906, within which to complete his contract for the construction of stone curbs and a bituminous rock pavement on the crossing of Ninth avenue and J street.

Also, recommending that J. J. Dowling be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after August 8th, 1906, within which to complete his contract to construct stone curbs and a bituminous rock pavement on the crossing of Twenty-third and Sanchez streets.

Also, recommending that Flinn and Treacy be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after August 6th, 1906, within which to complete their contract for the construction of a sewer on Seventh street between Howard and Market streets and on Market street from Seventh to Jones street.

Also, recommending that the Western Construction Company be granted an extension of 60 days' time from and after July 25th, 1906, within which to complete their contract for the construction of stone sidewalks on Sixth avenue between B and C streets.

SPECIAL ORDER.

Intention to Change Grades on Golden Gate Avenue between Jones and Leavenworth Streets.

Hearing Postponed.

The Special Order of Business fixed for 3 o'clock this day, namely, the matter of lowering the grades on Golden Gate avenue between Jones and Leavenworth streets, was proceeded with.

F. B. Carson, representing the Franciscan Fathers, was granted the privilege of the floor, and asked that the matter go over one week, stating that he had been lately retained and desired to familiarize himself more fully with the question at issue.

Whereupon, on motion of Supervisor Coffey, the matter was postponed one week and made a Special Order of Business at the hour of 3 p. m.

Message from Mayor.

Recommending Appointment of Advisory Board of Engineers in Matter of Selection of a Municipal Water Supply.

The following message from his Honor the Mayor was received, read and referred to the Special Committee on Water Supply:

Mayor's Office,
City and County of San Francisco,
Executive Department.

July 30, 1906.

To the Honorable the Board of Su-

pervisors—Gentlemen: Pursuant to your Resolution of July 23rd, 1906, and the recommendation of your Special Committee on Water Supply, I have the honor to transmit to you the following names of three distinguished engineers to act as an Advisory Board of Engineers in conjunction with the City Engineer in the matter of a selection of a Municipal Water Supply, as provided in said committee's report.

These gentlemen whom I recommend to you for employment in this connection are particularly prominent in this line of work and have already, as members of the Sub-Committee on Water Supply of the Committee of Forty on the reconstruction of San Francisco, rendered valuable service to the city in this connection. Their experiences and well-known practical ability have prompted me to name these gentlemen, whose selection I trust will be satisfactory to you: Major C. H. McKinstry, U.S.A., member Society American Engineers; Prof. C. D. Marx, member Society American Engineers, Professor Engineers of Leland Stanford Jr. University; A. M. Hunt, member Society American Engineers. Very respectfully,

E. E. SCHMITZ, Mayor.

Resolution Adopted.

Appointment of Advisory Board of Engineers to Report Upon Available Sources of Water Supply.

Thereupon, Supervisor Phillips introduced the following Resolution, which was on his motion adopted, as Resolution No. 226 (New Series):

Whereas, upon the recommendation of his Honor the Mayor, in accordance with the Resolutions adopted by this Board at its meeting on July 23, 1906, Major C. H. McKinstry, U. S. A. (member American Society Civil Engineers), Professor C. D. Marx (member American Society Civil Engineers and Professor of Engineering Leland Stanford Jr. University), A. M. Hunt (member American Society Civil Engineers) be and they hereby are appointed Engineers of this Board to examine and consider the propositions for a municipal water supply as recommended by the Special Committee on Water Supply, and said Engineers, together with the City Engineer, as in said committee recommendations provided, are hereby requested to act as expeditiously as possible in the examination and consideration of said sources of water supply, in order that

the city may proceed as early as possible to secure a municipal water supply.

The Special Committee on Water Supply is hereby directed to draft the necessary written instructions and suggestions to said Board of Engineers.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Committees by their respective Chairmen presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file.

Fire Committee by Supervisor Duffey.

Printing and Salaries Committee by Supervisor Coffey.

Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee by Supervisor Rea.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Amending Ocean Shore Railway Company Franchise.

Bill No. 2040, Ordinance No. 40 (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance amending Section 1 of Ordinance No. 1808, 'Providing for a grant to the Ocean Shore Railway Company, a railroad corporation, of a right of way for, and the right to construct, maintain and operate, a railroad, together with all necessary branches, side-tracks, turn-outs, switches, crossings, spur-tracks, yard-tracks, depot-tracks, and terminal-tracks and facilities, along, over, under, across, and upon certain streets, avenues, alleys, places and properties in the City and County of San Francisco,' and adding thereto a new section to be numbered Seventeen."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 227 (New Series), Granting Dehmlow's Dyeing and Cleaning Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of sixteen (16) horsepower in premises situate at No. 551 First avenue, to be used for furnishing power for a cleaning and dyeing works.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Mc-

Gushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 228 (New Series), Granting the Grau Packing Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of ten (10) horsepower in premises situate at northwest corner of Seventeenth and Dolores streets, to be used for heating water for washing bottles.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 229 (New Series), Granting W. C. Premus permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of eighty (80) horsepower in premises situate on south line of North Point street, 300 feet east of Powell street, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 230 (New Series), Granting the Starlight Laundry permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of eight (8) horsepower in premises situate at No. 750 Stanyan street, to be used for laundry purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Final Passage.

Authorizing Payment, Paving of Valencia Street.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$40,918.67, to be made out of the Street Construction Account of the Public Building Fund in payment to the City Street Improvement Company for labor and material for paving Valencia street from Eighteenth to Mission streets, in accordance with Resolution of Award No. 6434 of the Board of Works, heretofore passed for printing, was taken up, and finally passed by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Reconsideration.

Subsequently during the proceedings, Supervisor Gallagher moved the reconsideration of the vote whereby the aforesaid Resolution was finally passed. So ordered.

Action Deferred.

Thereupon, Supervisor Gallagher moved that action on the Resolution be postponed one week.

So ordered.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payment, Fourth of July Committee Expenses.

Resolution No. 231 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2487.91, to be made out of the General Fund, 1906-07, in payment to Edwin W. Joy, President Fourth of July Committee, for expenses incurred in the celebration of the Fourth of July, 1906, as per bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Authorizing Payment, Forage and Fuel, Fire Department

Resolution No. 232 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3386.50, to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to the following firms for forage, fuel, etc., furnished the Fire Department:

To Simon Erlanger, June, 1906. \$971.31
To Scott & Magner, June, 1906. 1340.51
To Thomas Morton, June, 1906. 522.75
To Somers & Co., March, 1906.. 551.93

Total\$3386.50

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Authorizing Payment, Printing for Board of Election Commissioners.

Resolution No. 233 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$742, to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to Phillips & Van Orden Co. for 3000 manuals of registration, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 234 (New Series), Granting the Kohl Building permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain engines and boilers of 450 horsepower in premises situate at northeast corner of California and Montgomery streets, the same to be used for power plant.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 235 (New Series), Granting the California Canning Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and two boilers in premises situate at Eighteenth and Minnesota streets, the same to be used in the process of canning fruit.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 236 (New Series), Granting the California Canning Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank of 3000 gallons capacity at premises situate at Eighteenth and Minnesota streets, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 237 (New Series), Granting the Kohl Building permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain two storage tanks of 7500 gallons capacity at premises situate on northeast corner of California and Montgomery streets, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum, to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 238 (New Series), Granting W. W. Montague permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank of not more than 2000

gallons capacity, at premises situate at Kentucky and Seventeenth streets, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum, to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Full Acceptance, Streets.

Bill No. 46, Ordinance No. 41 (New Series), entitled: "Providing for the full acceptance of the roadways of Belvedere street between the southerly line of Grattan street and the southerly line of Parnassus avenue, the roadway of Grattan street between Cole and Belvedere streets, the crossing of Baker and Oak streets and the crossing of Vallejo and Broderick streets, paved with bituminous rock."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Extension Time, Street Work.

Resolution No. 239 (New Series), Granting the Barber Asphalt Paving Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after August 5, 1906, within which to complete the contract for repaving Kearny street between California street and Montgomery avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Permit to Blast.

Resolution No. 240 (New Series), Granting Frank B. Gilbreth permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for building purposes at the corner of California and Drumm streets; provided said Frank B. Gilbreth shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works in communication filed July 19, 1906, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

The presentation of Bills and Ac-

counts was ordered deferred temporarily.

Supervisor Coleman was noted present.

New Business. Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Supplies County Hospital.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1610, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to A. C. Rulofson & Co. for tents and wire fence furnished City and County Hospital, as per bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Forage, Fire Department.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$551.93, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Somers & Co. for forage furnished the Fire Department, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Board of Public Works.

On motion of Supervisor Rea: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1431.02, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for lumber, etc., furnished Board of Public Works:

To Blyth & Trott, lumber....	\$556.02
To Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company, repairs to Sixth-street bridge	875.00

\$1431.02

As per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Park.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$10,351.31, to be made out of the Park Fund in payment to the following firms for supplies, etc., furnished Golden Gate Park:

To J. L. Vermeil, forage, March, 1906	\$1,389.36
To J. L. Vermeil, forage, June, 1906	1,403.70
To United Railroads, hauling sweepings, March, 1906....	1,084.80
To Spring Valley Water Company, water, March, 1906..	1,285.48
To Christian Froelich, cast pipes, June, 1906.....	5,187.97

\$10351.31

As per contract and bills rendered

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting W. J. Blumberg & Bro. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of ten (10) horsepower in premises situate at No. 608-612 Eddy street, the same to be used for heating water in a bathing establishment.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Dr. G. Cornet permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 200 gallons capacity in premises situate at No. 2354 Pine street, the same to be used for heating water in a bathing establishment.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting C. M. Mann & Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of six (6) horsepower in premises situate at No. 280 Seventh street, the same to be used for furnishing steam for cleaning purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting D. C. Talbot permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of seventy-five (75) horsepower in premises situate at No. 115 Main street, the same to be used for furnishing power for planing mill.

Oil Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Central Iron Works permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank of 1500 gallons capacity at premises situate at No. 631 Florida street, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boiler on said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Abner Doble Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank of 36,000 gallons capacity at premises situate in South Beach block No. 36 for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boiler on said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Standard Biscuit Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank of 3000 gallons capacity at premises situate at

northeast corner of Sansome and Pacific streets for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Blasting Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the American Biscuit Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the purpose of removing the ruins of the building situate at Battery street, between Vallejo and Broadway streets; provided that said American Biscuit Company shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$5000, as fixed by the Board of Public Works in communication filed July 30, 1906, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting E. W. McLellan & Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the purpose of removing the ruins of the building situate in block bounded by Van Ness avenue, Franklin, Hayes and Grove streets.

Provided said E. W. McLellan & Co. shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works in communication filed July 30, 1906, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Extensions of Time—Street Work.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Flinn & Treacy the following extensions of time to complete the following street work:

1. Ninety days from and after July 29, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the reconstruction of curbs and the construction of basalt block and bituminous rock pavement on Pacific street between Montgomery avenue and the westerly line of Stockton street.

2. Ninety days' time from and after July 29, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of bituminous rock pavement on Castro street between Fifteenth and Henry streets.

3. Ninety days from and after July 29, 1906, within which to complete the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on the corner of the crossing of Castro street and Fifteenth street, and the construction of a bituminous rock pavement on the roadway thereof.

These extensions of time are grant-

ed for the reason that the contractor has been unable to complete the work within the time originally fixed by the Board of Public Works.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting W. F. Hanrihan an extension of ninety days' time from and after July 11, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of the Upper Sunset main sewer.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to secure material to complete the work owing to the recent disaster.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.
Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted:

Providing for Use of City Hall and Hall of Records.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:
Resolution No. 241 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, A Committee of this Board, consisting of Supervisors Gallagher, Wilson and Duffey, has just completed an examination of the City Hall and the Hall of Justice, and said Committee has reported that at least sixty (60) per cent of said buildings have been saved, and that within less than two years said buildings can be completely and economically restored; and

Whereas, It also appears that within three months enough of said buildings can be restored and made ready for temporary use by the officials of the city without delaying the complete restoration of said buildings, therefore be it

Resolved,

1. That the debris and wreckage of said buildings be immediately cleared away.

2. That the Finance Committee proceed at once to provide funds to have this work done.

3. That the basement, first floor and courts of said buildings (which are found to be almost unimpaired) be made ready for immediate temporary occupancy by the officials of the city and county.

4. That the Hall of Records be immediately put in good condition for the Recorder's use.

5. That bids be advertised for fire-

proof vaults for the permanent holding and preservation of the records.

6. That three structural engineers be immediately employed by the Finance Committee to report at once in full on the condition of said building, and what will be necessary to restore it for temporary and permanent use.

The vote of Supervisor Nicholas was recorded *no* on the foregoing Resolution.

Street Committee Report Determination of Property Owners in Matter of Widening Montgomery Street.

On motion of Supervisor Furey:

Resolution No. 242 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, It is extremely desirable that Montgomery street be widened from Market street to Montgomery avenue; and

Whereas, This improvement was recommended by the Sub-Committee of Street Widening of the Committee of Forty on the Reconstruction of the city, and approved by this Board, but subject to the condition that the property owners on Montgomery street contribute the necessary land without cost to the city, or pay for its acquisition; and

Whereas, It is advisable that the fate of this projective improvement be decided at once, in order that building operations on Montgomery street may not be interfered with or retarded; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Street Committee of this Board be and it is hereby requested at once to call a meeting of all property owners on Montgomery street between Market street and Montgomery avenue to consider and determine this matter, and the Street Committee is hereby further requested to meet with said property owners and forthwith to report to this Board the determination of said property owners.

Install Telephone at Coroner's Residence.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas:

Resolution No. 243 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company be and they are hereby requested to place a telephone in the residence of Coroner William Walsh at No. 1300 McAllister street.

Declaring in Favor of Extending Montgomery Avenue to Market Street.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. 244, as follows:

Resolved, In order that there may

be no misunderstanding hereafter by interested property owners, this Board hereby declares its intention to proceed at the earliest practicable moment to extend Montgomery avenue at a width of one hundred (100) feet in a straight line from its present terminus at Washington street to Market street, and from the present northerly terminus to the bay.

The Street Committee of this Board is hereby directed to confer with the City Attorney and to prepare the necessary resolutions, orders and proceedings to this end, and the Board of Public Works is hereby respectfully requested to discontinue the issuance of any further permits for the construction of buildings along the line of the proposed Montgomery avenue widening.

Relating to Disposition of Refugees in Duboce Park

In reply to question of Supervisor Boxton concerning the disposition of refugees in Duboce Park, Supervisor Rea, Chairman of the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee, stated that it was the intention of the Board of Health to place other camps on the Potrero and elsewhere in sanitary condition, and when this work is accomplished within fifteen or twenty days, the major number of refugees in Duboce Park would be removed to other localities.

Presentation of Bills and Accounts.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$55,377.35, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 3731 to 4317 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of the Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Gallagher, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said Demands having been duly approved by the Finance Committee, and,

On his motion, said Demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—18.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 4:40 o'clock, ad-

journed to meet on Wednesday, August 1, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Wednesday, August 1, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met, pursuant to adjournment, to sit as a Board of Equalization and to transact such other business as may come before it.

CALLING THE ROLL

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Quorum present.

Supervisor McGushin, Chairman of Equalization of Assessments Committee presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of previous Meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PROCEEDINGS OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

Thereupon, the Board proceeded to and sat as a Board of Equalization, for the purpose of equalizing the assessments on the Assessment Book for the fiscal year 1906-1907.

Motion.

Supervisor Wilson moved that the persons cited by the Clerk to appear before the Board of Equalization in relation to their respective assessments be called and examined.

So ordered.

Examination.

H. Liebes, representing H. Liebes & Co., appeared and was questioned as to the property of his firm. He testified that the personal property upon which was carried \$150,000 insurance was assessed for \$39,000,—the losses were in process of adjustment with the insurance companies.

During the examination of Mr. Liebes, Assessor Washington Dodge obtained permission to address the Board, and explained the manner in which the assessments were made.

He stated that in no case did he assess any stock that was burned; that he only assessed the book accounts and solvent credits.

Supervisor Gallagher stated that it was the intention of the Board of Supervisors to investigate the assessments relative to the amount of insurance received by certain firms and corporations, and to ascertain whether or not it would be advisable to obtain the opinion of the City Attorney as to the legality of assessing the amount realized from the insurance companies on personal property.

Motion.

Supervisor Wilson moved that no action be taken by the Board in regard to any of the assessments of the persons, companies or corporations cited to appear, but that the question of assessment in each instance be taken under advisement.

So ordered.

Examination Continued.

Thereupon, the representative of the St. Francis Hotel being called, Mr. H. T. Scott appeared, and testified that the St. Francis Hotel was conducted by the San Francisco Hotel Company, and that he thought the assessment of \$200,000 made this year was too high. The assessment of \$75,000 on the Crocker Building was also considered too high.

T. C. Friedlander, representing the Merchants' Exchange, was heard, and testified that the Merchants' Exchange had not received all their insurance, and that he thought the assessment of \$250,000 placed on the building was too high. An endeavor is being made to adjust insurance on a basis of \$582,000.

Ike Deutch was called, and testified that his assessment was \$1,000 on personal property, that he carried a stock of about \$6,000 before the earthquake, was burnt out, and did not receive his insurance money up to the present time.

Chas. H. Crocker, representing the Crocker Estate Co., appeared and testified that the Company carried \$2,895,000 insurance; that it was engaged in adjusting its insurance claims, and that the assessment on personal property, stock, etc., amounted to \$468,000.

Levi Strauss & Co. called. No answer.

B. Katchinski, formerly in the boot and shoe business on Third street, testified that some of the goods he had in stock was received in April, and as he was assessed for personal property this year \$35,000, he

thought that the assessment should be reduced \$20,000.

J. A. Roeblings & Sons called. No answer.

Neustader Bros. called. No answer.

Chas. Mattheas testified that his insurance was \$31,000, and that his assessment this year was in the neighborhood of \$17,000.

Hicks, Judd & Co. called. No answer.

Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co.,—Andrew Carrigan appeared and testified that his firm was assessed for \$100,000 for personal property, on which they carried \$500,000 insurance. No adjustment has yet been made. Assessor Dodge stated that the assessment was made on the book accounts and solvent credits of the firm. Mr. Carrigan stated that if the firm had an opportunity to make a statement they would ask for a reduction on their assessment.

McCullough Provision Company called. No answer.

Chas. Cain appeared, representing the La Grande Laundry, and testified that they were assessed for \$4,000, and carried \$40,000 insurance, and that the personal property of the company was entirely destroyed by the fire.

No answers were made to calls for the United Cigar Stores, for Samuel Bloom & Son and for Paul Elder.

Motion.

Supervisor Wilson moved that the next session of the Board of Equalization be held on Monday, August 6, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

So ordered.

Regular Proceedings of Supervisors.

Question on Privilege.

Supervisor Gallagher arose to a question of personal privilege, in answer to charges purporting to emanate from one George Renner, and this day published in certain daily newspapers of this city, in which said Renner is reported to have said, that in order to obtain spur track privileges from the Board of Supervisors it was necessary to retain Supervisor Gallagher as attorney, and that in the case of the John Breuner Company a fee was exacted for a spur track concession.

Supervisor Gallagher stated that the charges were false in every particular, and that if the published statements were reported correctly,

Renner was a liar and a scoundrel. He was a liar because his utterances were untrue and a scoundrel because he made statements to the newspaper which he could not substantiate.

Statement of Supervisor Coffey.

Supervisor Coffey stated that he had been a member of the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee during the present administration; that the Petition of the John Breuner Company was still pending before the said Committee; that ever since he has been a member of the aforesaid Committee, Supervisor Gallagher had never asked him to vote one way or the other on any matter which was before the Street Committee, and if Mr. Renner made a statement that any money whatsoever was used for the purpose of obtaining spur track privileges, that he lied. If Mr. Renner accused the Street Committee or any of its members of obtaining any money for such permits, or stated that Supervisor Gallagher was in any way instrumental in obtaining the influence of the Committee in granting spur track privileges, or any other privilege, he was a liar and a scoundrel.

Presentation of Bills and Accounts.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$7519.81 and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 4321 to 4481 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Gallagher, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Loneragan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

Supervisor Nicholas introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Recommending That Saloons Be Permitted to Conduct Business After 8 P. M.

Whereas, on the 2d day of July, 1906, the Board of Supervisors increased the license for selling liquor to \$500 yearly and placed the owners of saloons under the restraint of closing their places of business at 8 o'clock in the evening; and

Whereas, Now that conditions are normal and these places have been conducted in an orderly and proper manner and the temporary regulation compelling those engaged in this business to close their places at 8 o'clock is a great burden on them, considering the increase in their license, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors respectfully recommend to the Board of Police Commissioners that this temporary restraint be withdrawn

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Nicholas, as Resolution No. 245 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Loneragan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Motion.

Supervisor Nicholas moved that Resolution No. 245 (New Series) be immediately transmitted to the Board of Police Commissioners.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at 3:30 o'clock adjourned.
GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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MONDAY, AUGUST 6, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, August 6, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor McGushin was called to the Chair.

Proceedings of Board of Equalization.

The Board proceeded to and sat as a Board of Equalization, for the purpose of equalizing the assessments upon the Assessment Roll of Real and Personal Property for the year 1906-7.

Adopted.

Board to Sit as a Board of Equalization to August 11, 1906.

Supervisor Wilson introduced the following Resolution, which was, on his motion, *adopted*, as Resolution No. 246 (New Series).

Resolved, That Resolution No. 212 (New Series), approved July 27, 1906, and Resolution No. 225 (New Series), approved July 31, 1906, fixing the times of sitting of the Board of Equalization, be and the same are hereby repealed, and that Saturday, August 11, 1906, at the hour of 12 m., be and is hereby fixed as the time when the Board of Supervisors will conclude its labors as a County Board of Equalization for the fiscal year 1906-1907.

Further resolved, That the Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise a notice to this effect in the official newspaper.

Privilege of the Floor.

Supervisor Wilson moved that the City Attorney be granted the privilege of the floor for the purpose of addressing the Board in relation to the assessment of property for the fiscal year 1906-7.

So ordered.

Relating to Assessments of 1906-7.

Thereupon, the City Attorney, Wm. G. Burke, advised the Board in relation to the manner of assessing property under the law, and, in concluding, yielded the floor to his First Assistant, Wm. F. Baggett.

Mr. Baggett addressed the Board at length, stating, in part, that the law required that all property having tangible existence on the first Monday in March, 1906, should be assessed, and that there was no power in the Assessor to assess otherwise. If the persons thus assessed felt aggrieved, they had their remedy by applying to the Board of Equalization to correct their assessments. The gentleman instanced the firm of Levi Strauss & Co. being assessed, without warrant of law, at much less than they were in former years.

The Assessor, Washington Dodge, replied by stating that Levi Strauss & Co. were assessed on their solvent credits and not on their stock of goods, which was destroyed by the fire.

Mr. Baggett, resuming, said that it was the duty of the Assessor to assess the value of property on the first Monday in March.

The Assessor denied this interpretation of the law, alleging that the Constitution of the State and the Political Code provided four months after the first Monday in March to enable him to fix the value of property, and that

the term "first Monday in March," referred to the ownership of, or title to, property at that time.

The valuation of property was made, and only could be made, when the Assessor found it.

Motion.

Concluding Business of Board of Equalization.

Supervisor Wilson moved that the labor of the County Board of Equalization be concluded and that the Clerk be directed to transmit the Assessment Roll of 1906-7 to the Auditor.

So ordered.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$27,148.06 and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 4485 to 4862 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Gallagher, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Special Order.

Intention to Change Grade of Golden Gate Avenue. Between Jones and Leavenworth Streets.

Supervisor Wilson moved that when the Board adjourns it does so to meet on Tuesday, August 7, 1906, at 2:30 p. m., and that the Golden Gate Avenue change of grade matter be made a Special Order of Business at that hour.

Supervisor Lonergan moved to amend, that the hour of meeting be fixed for Wednesday, August 8, 1906, at same hour.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, at the hour of 5 o'clock, the Board adjourned to meet as above noted.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Wednesday, August 8, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present: Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of the Meetings of July 25, July 26, and July 28, 1906, were read and approved.

The reading of the Journals of subsequent meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred, as follows:

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petitions: Of Samuel Davis, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$57.90, duplicate payment on R. E. Roll of 1905.

Of Chas. F. Kapp et al, for the refunding to them of the sum of \$28.12, duplicate payment of taxes on R. E. Roll of 1905.

Of Union Trust Co., for the refunding to it of the sum of \$49.62, duplicate payment of taxes on R. E. Roll of 1905.

Of W. B. Morrill, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$6.05, duplicate payment of taxes on R. E. Roll of 1905.

Communications: From H. H. Bancroft & Company, relative to delay in receipt of notice to appear before the Board of Equalization.

From Pacific Gear and Tool Works, relative of receipt of notice to appear before the Board of Equalization.

From John A. Roebbing's Sons Company, relative to notice received to appear before the Board of Equalization.

To the Finance Committee.

Petition: Of Nathan Diamond, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$3.80, an alleged erroneous payment of fees made the Recorder.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions: Of the Del Monte Mill-

ing Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 250-horsepower, in premises situate on the northeast corner of Lombard and Montgomery streets the same to be used to operate machinery in a flour mill.

Also, for permission to store and use crude petroleum as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Of Eng-Skell Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 8-horsepower in premises situate at No. 1538 Valencia street, the same to be used in the process of cooking fruit.

Of the Fisk Rubber Company, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 7-horsepower in premises situate at No. 1036 Golden Gate avenue, the same to be used in the process of repairing rubber tires.

Of John Honold, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 6-horsepower in premises situate at No. 12-14 Berkshire street, the same to be used in a tannery.

Of the S. Levi Woodworking Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 12-horsepower in premises situated at No. 440 Sixth street, the same to be used for drying purposes.

Of R. Schimpferman, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 15 horsepower in premises situate on the northeast corner of Fifteenth street and Caledonia alley, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Of A. B. Stacy, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 5 horsepower in premise situate at No. 729 Clementina street the same to be used in a carpenter shop.

Of the Western Wire Mattress Co., for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 15 horsepower in premises situate on the westerly side of Polk street, between Union and Filbert streets, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Of the Atlas Brass Works, for permission to store and use crude petroleum for fuel under boilers in premises No. 827 Howard street.

Of H. E. Law, for permission to store and use crude oil for fuel under boilers in Monadnock building, on the southwest corner of Andes and Market streets.

Of Reed & Company, for permission to blast for grading purposes at premises known as No. 564-568 Sutter street.

Of D. H. Goodrich, for permission to erect and maintain a temporary planing mill at the northwest corner of Tenth and Mission streets.

Of Jos. Nolan, for permission to erect a frame dwelling on the south side of Jessie street, between Ninth and Tenth streets.

Of Samuel M. Samter, for permission to continue to completion a one-story frame store and machine shop on the south line of Mission street 57 feet 6 inches westerly from Mary street.

Protests—Of M. M. McGrath and numerous other property owners, against the establishment of a Japanese laundry at No. 1851 Bush street.

Of Jno. Monahan and numerous property owners, against the establishment of a laundry at No. 469 Duboce avenue.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of Jos. Hagan & Company, calling on Board to advertise for bids for the burial of indigent dead.

Of College of Physicians and Surgeons, for permission to establish and maintain a medical college on the northerly side of Fourteenth street, between Woodward avenue and Stevenson street.

Of the St. Winifred's Sanitorium, for permission to establish and maintain a hospital at premises No. 1035 Sutter street.

Of Bernard Taggart and others, for the removal of stables maintained by Barry Bros. in block bounded by Harrison, Juniper, Bryant and Eleventh streets.

Of Wm. Wilson, for permission to build a stable of over six stalls on southerly side of Twelfth street 50 feet east of Bernice street.

To the Outside Lands Committee.

Petitions—Of Luigi Mico and Celesti Galli, for a grant of land in Western Addition Block No. 342.

Of W. F. Murasky and Mary Gertrude Murasky, for a grant of land in Mission Block No. 37.

To the Police Committee.

Petition—Of Mrs. F. Sylvester, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$3.00, paid poundkeeper for the release of one cow, impounded August 2, 1906.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petitions—Of the Mt. Vernon Improvement Club, to construct a steel bridge on Mt. Vernon avenue, connecting with bridge on San Jose avenue.

Of the Union Iron Works, for permission to explode blasts in connection with the work of rehabilitation of its drydocks on the Potrero.

Of L. B. Hertz and other property owners and residents on Haight street, between Pierce and Steiner streets, to reconstruct a sewer on said street.

Protest—Of Fred. H. Rowe, against granting petition of the Southern Pacific Company to lay and maintain a spur track on North Point street, from Mason to Taylor street.

To the Special Committee on Water Supply.

Communication — From Snow Mountain Water and Power Company, submitting offer to furnish water to the City and County of San Francisco from its water supply, having its source in water shed of South and Eel rivers in Mendocino and Lake counties.

File.

The following matters were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Communication—From the North Beach Improvement Club, calling attention to the lack of street car service in that section of the city, particularly on Union street and on Montgomery avenue.

Communication—From the Pt. Lobos Improvement Club, requesting an appointment for a committee of said club to lay before the Board several matters of vital importance to the Point Lobos district.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

Communication—From the Board of Education, recommending that an appropriation of \$75,000 be made for the purchase of tools, machinery and apparatus for the Polytechnic High School.

From the Tax Collector, recommending that a transfer in the sum of \$1209.75 be ordered made from

the Duplicate Tax Fund to the Tax Collector's Special Account.

From the County Clerk, submitting record of juvenile commitments for the month of July, 1906.

From the City and County Almshouse, with inventory of City and County property as of July 1, 1906.

From the Sheriff, with report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1906.

To the Public Building Committee.

Communication—From the Smallpox Hospital, with requisition for one telephone for use of that institution.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Communications—From the Board of Public Works, submitting report of the City Engineer on the progress of street and sewer work under the bond issue.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$100,000 be set aside out of the sale of sewer bonds for the purposes of constructing a sewer in the lower end of Market street, between Second and East streets.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$500,000 be set aside for further work on the repaving of accepted streets, and also the sum of \$500,000 for sewer work, the cost of both of which to be borne out of the proceeds of the sale of bonds.

File.

A communication from Jas. A. Devoto, attorney of Board of Public Works, in the matter of the right of way of the United Railroads of San Francisco, on Market street southerly from Sansome was received, read and ordered placed on file.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Hospital and Health Committee, by Supervisor Lonergan, presented a report, which was received, read and ordered placed on file.

SPECIAL ORDER.

Intention to Change Grades on Golden Gate Avenue, Between Jones and Leavenworth Streets.

The Special Order of Business, fixed for this day, namely, Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Golden Gate avenue, between Jones and Leavenworth streets in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed July 9, 1906, was proceeded with.

Motion.

Supervisor Boxton moved that all parties interested be granted the privilege of the floor.

So ordered.

Privilege of Floor.

F. B. Carson, attorney, representing protestants against reduction of grade, was heard at length in opposition to the pending measure, and presented, read and filed the following protests:

1. Of Red Men's Hall Association and other property owners against lowering the grade of Golden Gate avenue.

2. Of Wm. A. Schultz and other property owners against changing grade of Golden Gate avenue, unless Leavenworth street is extended to Market street.

3. Of L. E. Clawson and other property owners, against lowering grade of Golden Gate avenue, unless Leavenworth street is extended to Market street.

J. H. Hutaft, representing Red Men's Hall Association, was heard in opposition to the change of grade, stating that it was the intention of the Association to rebuild its properties on Golden Gate avenue at great expense, and that they desired no obstacle to be placed in the way.

Adolph Meyer, property owner opposed the present plan of changing the grade on the ground that it was not properly distributed in front of the properties affected.

Father Valentine, representing St. Boniface Church, opposed changing the grade on the ground that it would cause great loss and inconvenience to his church.

Chas. W. Lynch, attorney representing protestants, was heard at length relative to the procedure involved in the matter of changing the grade of Golden Gate avenue, and held that inasmuch as the avenue was an accepted street, the expense of doing the work devolved upon the City and County.

F. B. Carson, resuming his argument, stated that Attorney Jas. A. Devoto of the Board of Public Works advised that if the grade was changed the expense must be borne by the City, and in conclusion asked that the petition to change the grade be denied on this ground.

Joseph S. Tobin, representing pro-

ponents of the plan of reducing the grade, was heard at length favoring the proposition.

Thos. B. Woodward, City Engineer, explained the method of establishing the proposed grade, and stated that the total estimated cost would be \$130,000, of which \$90,000 would be expended in street work and \$40,000 in grading of lots.

Jas. D. Phelan, proponent of measure, addressed the Board, favoring changing grade on the ground of great public benefit.

Motion.

Supervisor Boxton moved that the matter be taken under advisement.

So ordered.

Recommittal.

Authorizing Payment, Paving of Valencia Street.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$40,918.67, to be made out of the Street Construction Account of the Public Building Fund in payment to the City Street Improvement Company for labor and material for paving Valencia street from Eighteenth to Mission streets, in accordance with Resolution of Award No. 6434 of the Board of Works, laid over from a prior meeting, was taken up, and

On motion, ordered re-committed to the Finance Committee.

NEW BUSINESS—(Out of Order.)

Report of Committee of Whole in Matter of Bids for Supplies.

To the Honorable The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco,—

Gentlemen: The Committee of the Whole, to which was referred the matter of certain bids for furnishing various supplies and services to public institutions and departments during the fiscal year 1906-07, begs leave to recommend that contracts therefor be awarded as follows:

That the contract for rent of teams and wagons be awarded to the San Francisco Teaming Company, it being the lowest bidder therefor, at the price of \$6.00 per day for double team and dump cart, and \$5.50 per day for double team without wagon.

That the award for whiskey for the City and County Hospital and for the Almshouse be made to R. R. Dennigan & Co., at the bid price of \$2.42 per gallon, in accordance with the report filed by the City Chemist thereon.

That the award for Dunsmuir Wellington coal be made to Thos. Morrison at the price bid, to wit:

For delivery to the Almshouse, \$7.50 per ton, and for delivery to the other public institutions, \$8.50 per ton.

For screenings of Wellington Dunsmuir, \$4.50 and \$5.50 per ton, respectively as per delivery to institutions.

That the award of tule hay for mattresses in the Hospitals be made to Geo. E. Wellington, the lowest bidder therefor.

That the award for milk for the City and County Almshouse be made to P. Canbu, at the price bid, 16 2-3 cents per gallon, in accordance with the recommendation of the head of the department, as to quality and service.

Your Committee recommends, in accordance with the report of the Chief Commissary of the Supply Department and the Superintendent of the City and County Almshouse, that awards be made for certain subsistence supplies examined by them and coming regularly under their supervision, as follows:

To Hooper & Jennings, for allspice, cinnamon, ginger, mace, nutmegs and sage, at the prices bid.

To Jas. A. Snook & Co., for mustard, cocoa, extracts, baking powder, coffee, pepper and tea at the prices bid.

To LEEGE & HASKINS, for cloves, curry powders and olive oil at the prices bid.

To Geo. E. Caswell, for pepper and chicory, at the prices bid.

To A. J. Rankin & Co., for syrup, at the prices bid.

Respectfully submitted.

JAMES L. GALLAGHER,

Chairman Com. of the Whole.

Read and adopted.

Resolution Adopted.
Awarding Contracts for Supplies to City and County Institutions.

Thereupon, Supervisor Gallagher introduced the following Resolution, which was, on his motion, adopted as Resolution No. 247 (New Series):

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering the certain supplies and services required for use of the various public institutions and departments of the City and County during the fiscal year 1906-1907 be and the same are here-

by awarded to the following persons, firms and corporations, in strict accordance with the proposal notice inviting bids thereon and in accordance with the specifications prepared therefor; and the amount of the bonds for the faithful performance of the said contracts are hereby fixed in the sums set opposite the names of the respective person, firm or corporation to whom the said contract is hereby awarded, as per the number and article enumerated and appearing in the schedule of yearly supplies, to wit:

TO HOOPER & JENNINGS.

(Bond fixed at \$50.00.)

Class A, Sub 4—

No. 108—Allspice	\$7.13 per lb.
No. 133—Cinnamon, ground .....	.22 per lb.
No. 134—Cinnamon, whole .....	.22 per lb.
No. 157—Ginger .....	.14 per lb.
No. 179—Mace .....	.65 per lb.
No. 175—Nutmegs, whole .....	.34 per lb.
No. 176—Nutmegs, ground .....	.30 per lb.
No. 213—Sage .....	.13 per lb.

TO JAS. A. SNOOK & CO.

(Bond fixed at \$750.00.)

No. 171—Mustard, ground	\$0.12 per lb.
No. 137—Cocoa .....	.30% per lb.
No. 150—Extracts	\$7.00 per doz.
No. 117—Baking Powder .....	.20% per lb.
No. 125—Coffee, Costa Rica .....	.14 per lb.
No. 126—Coffee, Java .....	.14 per lb.
No. 186—Pepper .....	.16 per lb.
No. 214—Tea, E. B. ....	.25 per lb.
No. 215—Tea, Oolong .....	.25 per lb.
No. 216—Tea, Japan .....	.25 per lb.

TO LEEGE & HASKINS.

(Bond fixed at \$100.00.)

No. 135—Cloves, ground	\$0.20 per lb.
No. 136—Cloves, whole .....	.25 per lb.
No. 147—Curry Powder, 8-oz.	\$3.50 doz.
No. 147—Curry Powder, 16-oz.	\$6.00 doz.
No. 182—Oil, Olive	\$2.10 per gal.

TO GEO. W. CASWELL.

(Bond fixed at \$50.00.)

No. 185—Pepper, black	\$0.11 per lb.
No. 187—Pepper, red .....	.14 per lb.
No. 127—Chicory05 per lb.

TO A. J. RANKIN & CO.

(Bond fixed at \$25.00.)

No. 212—Syrup	\$0.29 per gal.
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TO THE SAN FRANCISCO TEAMING AND CONTRACTING COMPANY.

(Bond fixed at \$500.00.)

Class I, Sub 12—

No. 322—Team and wagon	\$6.00 per day
No. 323—Team without wagon	\$5.50 per day

TO R. R. DENNIGAN & CO.

(Bond fixed at \$500.00.)

Class A, Sub 5—

No. 237—Whiskey \$2.42 per gal.

TO THOS. MORTON.

(Bond fixed at \$1500.00.)

Class D, Sub 3—

No. 52—Wellington Coal (Dunsmuir)
\$7.50 per tonNo. 53—Wellington Coal (Dunsmuir)
\$8.50 per tonNo. 54—Wellington Screenings
\$4.50 per tonNo. 55—Wellington Screenings
\$5.00 per ton

No. 72—Wood \$10.00 per cord

No. 73—Wood 12.00 per cord

No. 74—Wood 11.00 per cord

TO GEO. E. WELLINGTON.

(Bond fixed at \$50.00.)

Class —, Sub 3—

No. 122—Tule Hay....75c, 80c per 100 lbs.

TO PETER CANBU.

(Bond fixed at \$1000.00.)

Class A, Sub 1—

No. 42—Milk for the City and County
Almshouse 16 2-3 per gal.

All other bids for above are hereby rejected.

Report on Award, Dry Goods.

Supervisor Coleman reported verbally in favor of the bid of Greenebaum, Weil & Michaels to furnish dry goods to institutions of the City and County, and moved the acceptance of the same.

So ordered.

Resolution Adopted.

Awarding Contract for Dry Goods.

Thereupon, Supervisor Coleman introduced the following Resolution, which was, on his motion, adopted as Resolution No. 248 (New Series).

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing dry goods for use of the various public institutions during the fiscal year 1906-07 be and the same is hereby awarded to Greenebaum, Weill & Michaels, as per their bid, and in strict accordance with the proposal notice inviting bids thereon, and in accordance with the specifications therefor, provided the sureties on their bond, which is hereby fixed in the sum of \$1000, is satisfactory to his Honor the Mayor, at the following prices, to wit: as per number and article enumerated in the schedule of yearly supplies:

Class B, Sub 1—

No. 1—Blankets \$4.50 per pair

No. 2—Blankets \$5.00 per pair

No. 3—Blankets \$4.00 per pair

No. 15—Cotton Bats 17½c per lb.

No. 27—Comforters \$13.50 per doz.

No. 28—Coats \$15.00 per doz.

No. 29—Coats \$9.00 per doz.

No. 43—Hose \$1.25 per doz.

No. 74—Gowns \$48.00 per doz.

No. 78—Spreads \$1.00 each

No. 91—Towels \$3.25 per doz.

No. 92—Towels \$3.50 per doz.

No. 105—Handkerchiefs 65c per doz.

No. 106—Socks \$1.25 per doz.

No. 107—Underwear 75c suit

All other bids for the above are hereby rejected.

Report on Award, Meats.

Supervisor Furey reported verbally in favor of bid of Schrader Bros. to furnish meats to City and County institutions, and moved the acceptance of the same, they being the lowest responsible bidder.

Privilege of Floor.

E. Convey, representing E Convey & Sons, a competing bidder was granted the privilege of the floor and objected to the award being made to Schrader Bros., claiming that his firm was the lowest bidder.

Motion Carried.

Whereupon, the question being taken, on Supervisor Furey's motion, the same was carried, by unanimous vote.

Resolution Adopted.

Awarding Contract for Meats.

Thereupon, Supervisor Furey introduced the following Resolution, which was, on his motion, adopted, as Resolution No. 249 (New Series).

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering meats for use of the various public institutions be and the same is hereby awarded to Schrader Bros. for the fiscal year 1906-07, as per their bid, and in strict accordance with the proposal notice inviting bids thereon, and in accordance with the specifications therefor, provided the sureties on their bond, which is hereby fixed at \$5000.00, is satisfactory to His Honor the Mayor, who is hereby authorized to enter into said contract at the following prices, to wit: as per number and article enumerated in the schedule of yearly supplies:

Class A, Sub 1—

No. 1—Beef at0624 per lb.

No. 2—Beef at0775 per lb.

No. 3—Beef at0575 per lb.

No. 4—Beef at	0348 per lb.
No. 5—Meats at	0874 per lb.
No. 6—Mutton at	0874 per lb.
No. 7—Mutton at	0998 per lb.
No. 10—Beef Livers at	05 per lb.
No. 11—Beef Corned at	05 per lb.
No. 16—Pork Sausage at	10 per lb.
No. 17—Pork Sausage Meat at	10 per lb.
No. 18—Veal at	09 per lb.
No. 20—Steak, Hamburger, at	06 per lb.
No. 21—Frankfurters at	15 per lb.

All other bids for the above are hereby rejected.

Report of Hospital and Health Committee on Award for Milk for Institutions.

The Hospital and Health Committee presented the following Report: To the Honorable, The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco,—

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Hospital and Health respectfully recommends that the award for furnishing milk for use of all public institutions, other than the City and County Almshouse, be awarded to Frank Marty at his price bid, to wit, 16 2-3 cents per gallon.

THOMAS F. LONERGAN,
Chairman.

Privilege of Floor.

Joseph Fassler, competing bidder, was granted privilege of floor, and addressed the Board, stating that he was the lowest bidder for milk supplies, and claimed that he was entitled to the contract.

Report Adopted.

Whereupon, the question being taken, the Report of the Hospital and Health Committee was adopted by unanimous vote.

Resolution Adopted.

Awarding Contract for Milk, Institutions. Thereupon, Supervisor Lonergan introduced the following Resolution, which was, on his motion, adopted as Resolution No. 250 (New Series):

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and supplying milk for all public institutions other than the City and County Almshouse be and the same is hereby awarded to Frank Marty for the sum of 16 2-3 cents per gallon in strict accordance with his bid and the specifications therefor during the fiscal year 1906-07, provided the sureties on his bond, which is hereby fixed in the sum of \$2500.00, is satisfactory to His Honor the Mayor, who is hereby authorized to enter into said contract.

All other bids for the above are hereby rejected.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Ordering Construction of Underground Conduit System on Mission Street.

Bill No. 2051, Ordinance No. 42 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same and to expend a sum not exceeding fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500.00), the estimated cost thereof out of the proceeds of the sale of street bonds for the repaving of accepted streets of the City and County of San Francisco," the provisions of which order the construction of an underground conduit system on Mission street, between the easterly line of Fifth street and the westerly line of Sixth street.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies County Hospital.

Resolution No. 251 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1610, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to A. C. Rulofson & Co., for tents and wire fence furnished City and County Hospital, as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Authorizing Payment, Forage, Fire Department.

Resolution No. 252 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$551.93, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Somers & Co. for forage furnished the Fire Department, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Board of Public Works.

Resolution No. 253 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1431.02, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for lumber, etc., furnished Board of Public Works:

To Blyth & Trott, lumber...\$556.02
To Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company, repairs to Sixth street bridge..... 875.00

\$1431.02

As per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Park.

Resolution No. 254 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$10,351.31, to be made out of the Park Fund, in payment to the following firms for supplies, etc., furnished Golden Gate Park:

To J. L. Vermeil, forage,
March, 1906\$1,389.36
To J. L. Vermeil, forage,
June, 1906 1,403.70
To United Railroads, hauling sweepings, March, 1906 1,084.80
To Spring Valley Water Company, water, March, 1906 1,285.48
To Christian Froelich, cast pipes, June, 1906 5,187.97

\$10,351.31

As per contract and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 255 (New Series), Granting W. J. Blumberg & Bro. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of ten (10) horsepower in premises situate at No. 608-612 Eddy street, the same to be used for heating water in a bathing establishment.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Resolution No. 256 (New Series),

Granting Dr. G. Cornet permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 200 gallons capacity in premises situate at No. 2354 Pine street, the same to be used for heating water in a bathing establishment.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Resolution No. 257 (New Series), Granting C. M. Mann & Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of six (6) horsepower in premises situate at No. 280 Seventh street, the same to be used for furnishing steam for cleaning purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 258 (New Series), Granting Central Iron Works permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank of 1500 gallons capacity at premises, situate at No. 631 Florida street, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boiler on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Resolution No. 259 (New Series), Granting Abner Doble Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank of 36,000 gallons capacity at premises situate in South Beach Block No. 36, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boiler on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Resolution No. 260 (New Series), Granting Standard Biscuit Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank of 3000 gallons capacity at premises situate

at northeast corner of Sansome and Pacific streets for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Blasting Permits.

Resolution No. 261 (New Series), Granting the American Biscuit Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the purpose of removing the ruins of the building situate at Battery street, between Vallejo and Broadway streets; provided that said American Biscuit Company shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$5000, as fixed by the Board of Public Works in communication filed July 30, 1906, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Resolution No. 262 (New Series), Granting E. W. McLellan & Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the purpose of removing the ruins of the building situate in block bounded by Van Ness avenue, Franklin, Hayes and Grove streets.

Provided said E. W. McLellan & Co. shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5000) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works in communication filed July 30, 1906, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Extensions of Time—Street Work.

Resolution No. 263 (New Series), Granting Flinn & Treacy the following extensions of time to complete the following street work:

1. Ninety days from and after July 29, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the reconstruction of curbs and the construction of basalt block and bituminous rock pavement on Pacific street between

Montgomery avenue and the westerly line of Stockton street.

2. Ninety days' time from and after July 29, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of bituminous rock pavement on Castro street between Fifteenth and Henry streets.

3. Ninety days from and after July 29, 1906, within which to complete the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on the corner of the crossing of Castro street and Fifteenth street, and the construction of a bituminous rock pavement on the roadway thereof.

These extensions of time are granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to complete the work within the time originally fixed by the Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

No—Supervisor Boxton—1.

Resolution No. 264 (New Series), Granting W. F. Hanrihan an extension of ninety days' time from and after July 11, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of the Upper Sunset main sewer.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to secure material to complete the work owing to the recent disaster.

Ayes—Supervisors Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

No—Supervisor Boxton—1.

Recommittal.

Engine and Boiler Permit.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting D. C. Talbot permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of seventy-five (75) horsepower in premises situate at No. 115 Main street, the same to be used for furnishing power for planing mill, heretofore passed for printing, was taken up and,

On motion of Supervisor Duffey, recommended to the Fire Committee.

Invitation to Attend Unveiling of Monument to California Volunteers of 1898.

The following invitation was read and accepted:

To the Honorable the Board of Super-

visors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

"You are cordially invited to attend the ceremonies of the unveiling of the Monument dedicated to the California Volunteers of 1898, on August 12th, 1906, at 2:30 p. m. at the junction of Van Ness Avenue and Market Street, San Francisco, California.

The unveiling will occur on the anniversary of the capitulation of Manila to the forces of the United States, August 13th, 1898. The occasion merits the attendance of all citizens, of military organizations, civic and patriotic societies.

Your co-operation is earnestly requested to make this an event which shall pay due tribute to the sons of our State who offered their lives for their Country.

Hon. Jas. D. Phelan, Chairman, Monument Committee; Chairman, Committee on Reception to California Volunteers.

Col. Thos. F. O'Neil, Chairman, Committee of Arrangements.

Lt. Col. T. J. McCreagh, Parade Committee.

Col. H. T. Sims, Invitation Committee.

Capt. P. T. Riley, Committee on Exercises.

Presentation of Bills and Accounts.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$13,944.26, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 4869 to 4877, inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of the Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Walsh, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said Demands having been duly approved by the Finance Committee, and,

On his motion, said Demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Loneragan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Fire Department Lot.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4000, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to John W. Flinn and Sarah A. Flinn for balance due on purchase price of lot of land purchased for Fire Department in accordance with Resolution No. 6238.

Authorizing Payment, Park Fund Claimants.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1723.39, to be made out of the Park Fund in payment to the following firms for material furnished and services rendered the Park Commissioners as follows:

To Eckstrom Lumber Co.,	
lumber	\$1,023 39
Standard Electrical Construction Co., wiring	700 00

\$1,723 39

As per contract and bill rendered.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Adolph Hromada Co. permission during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 40 horsepower in premises situate at No. 1310-1330 Folsom street, the same to be used for manufacturing candies.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting S. Lehman permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 10 horsepower in premises situate on Lyon street, near Greenwich, the same to be used for furnishing power for beer bottling establishment.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting St. Francis Technical School permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 14 horsepower in premises situate on southeast corner of Oak and Webster streets, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Standard Biscuit Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 50 horsepower in premises situate on the northeast corner of Sansome and Pacific streets, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Swett-Davenport Lum-

ber Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 125 horsepower in premises situate on the southwest corner of Taylor and Beach streets, the same to be used for planing-mill purposes.

Oil Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Adolph Hromada Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank not exceeding 1500-gallons capacity in premises situate on the northeast corner of Foisom and Dore streets, the same to be used for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Herbert E. Law permission during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank of 10,000 gallons capacity in premises known as the "Monadnock Building," situate on the corner of Market and Annie streets, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Extension of Time, Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting J. J. Dowling the following extensions of time to complete the contract for the performance of the following street work:

Sixty days' time from and after August 8, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of stone curbs and bituminous rock pavements on Twenty-third street and crossing of Sanchez street.

Sixty days' time from and after September 20, 1906 within which to complete the contract for the construction of stone curbs and bituminous rock pavement on Ninth avenue and the crossing of J street.

Sixty days' time from and after August 13, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of stone curbs and basalt block pavement on Harrison street from Fourth to Sixth streets.

Ninety days' time from and after September 20, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of stone curbs and bituminous rock pavement on Tenth avenue and crossing of J street.

These extensions of time are granted for the reason that the contractor has

been unable to secure material with which to prosecute the work owing to the recent calamity.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Flinn & Treacy an extension of ninety days' time from and after August 6, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of sewers in Seventh street from Howard to Market streets, and in Market street from Seventh to Jones streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to secure suitable material with which to prosecute the work, owing to the recent calamity.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Eureka Construction Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after July 30, 1906, within which to complete contract for the construction of a sewer in Seventh avenue between H and L streets, and the construction of sewers in San Jose avenue and Ocean avenue and Onondago avenue.

This extension is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to secure material with which to complete his contract, owing to the recent disaster.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Western Construction Company an extension of sixty days' time from and after July 25, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on Sixth avenue between B and C streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to secure material for the completion of the contract, owing to the recent disaster.

Action Deferred.

Amending Ocean Shore Railway Co. Franchise.

Supervisor Rea introduced Bill No. 49, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance amending section 8 of Ordinance No. 1808, entitled 'Ordinance No. 1808,' providing for a grant to the Ocean Shore Railway Company, a railroad corporation, of a right of way for, and the right to construct, maintain and operate, a railroad, together with all necessary branches, side tracks, turn-outs, switches, crossings, spur tracks, yard tracks, depot tracks and terminal tracks and facilities, along, over, under, across and upon certain streets, avenues, alleys, places and properties

in the City and County of San Francisco,' approved April 2, 1906," which was,

On motion, laid over one week.

Passed for Printing.

The following bills were passed for printing:

Regulating Construction and Use of Spur Tracks.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 48, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for and regulating the construction, maintenance and use of spur or side tracks on and over public streets within the City and County of San Francisco, and fixing penalties for the violation thereof."

Appointing A. L. O'Grady to Revise Ordinances.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:

Bill No. 50, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the appointment by the Board of Supervisors of an assistant for the purpose of compiling and revising the ordinances of the City and County of San Francisco, and fixing the compensation of said assistant," the provisions of which in addition to those recited in its title, appoint A. L. O'Grady as assistant to the Supervisors.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Adopted.

Defining Further Duties of A. L. O'Grady.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:

Resolution No. 265 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, A number of suits have been instituted involving lands and streets in which the municipality has a claim, which actions are being prosecuted without personal service, under the provisions of the recent act of the legislature relating to quieting titles, whereby the City and County may lose valuable rights, and

Whereas, An Ordinance has been duly passed to print on this day appointing Attorney A. L. O'Grady as an assistant to this Board in the revision of the General Ordinances; therefore, be it

Resolved, That said A. L. O'Grady be, and he is, hereby also directed to investigate all such suits as may involve lands to which the City is entitled, already instituted or hereafter to be commenced and at regular intervals to report the result of his examination and investigation to this Board.

Action Deferred.

Authorizing Board of Health to Remove Persons Afflicted with Certain Contagious Diseases.

Bill No. 47, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing and empowering the Board of Health of the City and County of San Francisco to remove persons afflicted with smallpox, cholera, yellow fever, bubonic plague or typhus fever," heretofore referred to the Hospital and Health Committee, and returned by said Committee with the recommendation that the same do pass, was taken up and,

On motion of Supervisor Boxton, laid over one week.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Hospital Permit, St. Winifred's Sanitarium.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. 266 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That St. Winifred's Sanitorium be, and it is, hereby granted permission to establish and maintain a hospital or sanitorium at premises known as No. 1025 Sutter street.

(Petition filed August 3, 1906.)

Medical College Perm., College Physicians and Surgeons.

Also, Resolution No. 267 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the College of Physicians and Surgeons be, and is, hereby granted permission to establish and maintain a medical college on the northerly side of Fourteenth street, between Woodward avenue and Stevenson street.

Ordering Telephones Installed.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas: Resolution No. 268, as follows:

Resolved, That the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company be, and is, hereby requested to install a telephone in the office of Mr. Horgan, Chief Inspector of the Bureau of Buildings of the Board of Public Works, and also in the office of Mr. Powers of the Bureau of Buildings of the Board of Public Works.

Withdrawing Property From Delinquent Tax Sale.

On motion of Supervisor McGushin: Resolution No. 269, as follows:

Whereas, The Assessor, in communications filed July 20, 1906, recommended that the hereinafter described property, having been erroneously assessed in 1905, be withdrawn from sale and re-assessed in 1906, in accordance with

Section 3806, Political Code; therefore, Resolved, That the Assessor be, and is, hereby directed to withdraw from sale and reassess in 1906 the following described property entered on the assessment roll of 1905, as follows:

Vol. 58, Page 149, Block 53. Sub. 116,
Lot 46, City Land Association—
Real Estate\$ 50 00
Personal Property 1800 00

\$1850 00

Vol. 57, Block 64, Sub. 35—
Real Estate\$340 00
Improvements 400 00

\$740 00

Further resolved. That the Tax Collector be, and is, hereby directed not to sell the above described property at the delinquent tax sale August 6, 1906, for the taxes for the year 1905.

RELATING TO PROCEEDINGS OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

The following communication was received, read and ordered filed:

Conditional Extension of Time From State Board of Equalization.

Sacramento, Aug. 5, 1906.

Mr. Geo. B. Keane, Clerk, Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir: I am directed by the State Board of Equalization to acknowledge receipt of your communication of 3rd instant, in which you make request, in behalf of the Committee of the Supervisors, for an additional extension of time of twenty days from and after August 11th in which to perform duties in equalization matters. As I have said in my former communications, the State Board of Equalization, for obvious reasons, proposes to levy the State rate of taxes on Tuesday, the 4th day of September next: that the State Board must have a little time in which to consider and examine into the property valuations as returned from the City and County of San Francisco. To meet these requirements, the Board feels that it must have full and complete figures on your assessment on or before Tuesday, the 21st day of August.

I am further directed by the State Board to say, that upon receipt of a written statement or guarantee from your Auditor, that on or before said 21st day of August he will have in the hands of this Board his report showing the values in total of the

several classes of property in San Francisco for 1906, the Board stands ready to extend the time of your County Board of Equalization one week further, or until Saturday, the 18th day of August.

Very respectfully,

T. M. EBY,

Clerk, State Board of Equalization.

Auditor's Receipt for Assessment Roll.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 7, 1906.

Received from George B. Keane, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, Sixty (60) Volumes Real Estate and Secured Personal Property, Seventeen (17) Volumes Unsecured Personal Property, and four (4) Volumes Indices to Real Estate and Secured Personal Property, comprising the Assessment Book for the fiscal year 1906.

S. W. HORTON, Auditor.

Read and ordered filed.
adopted:

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted, by the following vote:

Approving Assessor's List of Corrections on Assessment Roll.

On motion of Supervisor McGushin: Resolution No. 270 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the list of corrections on the assessment roll for the year 1906, as presented by the Assessor, be and the same are hereby approved and adopted, and the Clerk of this Board is hereby instructed to correct the assessment roll accordingly.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Repealing Resolution, Fixing Date of Concluding Labors of Board of Equalization.

On motion of Supervisor McGushin: Resolution No. 271 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Resolution No. 246 (New Series), approved August 6, 1906, fixing August 11, 1906, as the date when the Board of Supervisors will conclude its labors as a Board of Equalization, be and the same is hereby repealed, said Board, by motion adopted August 6, 1906, having determined otherwise.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION
OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS
NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED
UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and **adopted:**

Street Committee Report, Cost of Street Signs for Burnt District.

On motion of Supervisor Boxton:

Resolution No. 272 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee be and they are hereby requested to report to this Board an estimate of cost of installing at street corners and intersections in the burnt district temporary signs of wood or metal whereon is indicated the names of streets in said locality.

Board of Public Works Sell Old Iron at Auction.

Also, Resolution No. 273 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, There is considerable broken iron, etc., belonging to the City and County on the site of the City Hall that cannot be utilized for rebuilding purposes; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Subdivision 33, Chapter 2, Article II, of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, be and is hereby directed to advertise for the sale of said personal property at auction after the necessary publication of five days.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to advertise this Resolution in the Evening Post Newspaper.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, August 8, 1906.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson.—11.

Absent—Supervisors Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock—7.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

Approved, San Francisco, August 17, 1906.

E. E. SCHMITZ,

Mayor and ex-officio President of the Board of Supervisors.

Referred.

Intention to Open Streets Through Cemeteries.

Supervisor Wilson introduced the following Resolution:

Whereas, The Board of Supervisors did, by Ordinance No. 25, approved March 30, 1906, prohibit the further burial of the dead from and after August 1, 1901, within the City and County of San Francisco, on the ground that said burial was dangerous to life and detrimental to public health, and

Whereas, In consonance with such policy and with the growth of the City it is necessary to extend easterly and westerly and northerly and southerly the streets now abutting Calvary Laurel Hill, Odd Fellows, Masonic and other cemeteries for the purpose of affording convenient ingress and egress to the territory lying beyond their confines; now, therefore,

Resolved, That this Board declare, and it hereby does declare, that public interest and necessity demand the opening and extension of public streets through said cemeteries, and that it is its intention to acquire for public use, under the law of eminent domain, as defined in the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, the lands essential and necessary for this purpose.

Further Resolved, That the City Engineer be, and he is, hereby directed to outline a plan comprehensive, or modified, conserving the best interests of the City and County, of the public and of owners of private property for the opening and extension of said streets, and also to report to this Board an estimate of the cost of the land necessary to be acquired under said plan.

Motion.

Supervisor Wilson moved the reference of the aforesaid Resolution to a Special Committee of Three on opening of streets through cemeteries, to be appointed by the Chair

So ordered.

Appointment of Special Committee on Opening of Streets Through Cemeteries.

Thereupon the Chair appointed Supervisors Wilson, Rea and Lonergan as a Special Committee on Opening and Extending Streets Through Cemeteries.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 6:05 o'clock, adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.



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MONDAY, AUGUST 13TH, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, August 13, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of the meetings of July 30, 1906, and August 1, 1906, were read and approved. The reading of the Journals of subsequent meetings was ordered dispensed with.

Intention to Change Grades on Golden Gate Avenue, Between Jones and Leavenworth Streets.

Motion.

Supervisor Wilson moved that Resolution No. — (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Golden Gate avenue, between Jones and Leavenworth streets in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed July 9, 1906, be taken up for consideration, and that J. B. Carson, attorney representing protestants against said change of grade, be granted privilege of floor.

So ordered.

Privilege of Floor.

Thereupon, J. B. Carson addressed

the Board and asked for a continuance of one week, and also presented and filed a Communication from the Roman Catholic Archbishop of San Francisco opposing said change of grade.

Motion.

Supervisor Boxton moved that the matter be laid over one week.

So ordered.

relating to Matter of Providing Quarters for Superior Court.

Resolution of Superior Court.

The following Resolution was presented and read:

San Francisco, August 13th, 1906,—

Resolved, at a meeting of the Judges of the Superior Court, held this day, that suitable quarters for the holding of Court are an absolute necessity at once, and that Judges Graham and Cook are hereby appointed a committee to wait upon the Board of Supervisors and request that such quarters be furnished forthwith.

Further, that if the Supervisors have not the means at their command to furnish such quarters, that said committee be and they are hereby authorized to order, under Section 144 of the Code of Civil Procedure, the Sheriff of said City and County of San Francisco, to enter into contract and lease for the period of two years, the second floor of the building to be erected on the southeast corner of Golden Gate avenue and Hyde street, at a rental of one thousand (\$1,000) per month.

The foregoing resolution was adopted at a meeting of the Judges of the Superior Court, this 13th day of August, 1906.

THOMAS S. MULVEY,

Secretary to the Judges of the Su-

perior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco.

I, H. I. Mulcrevy, County Clerk of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and ex-officio Clerk of the Superior Court, in and for said City and County, hereby certify the foregoing to be a full, true and correct copy of the original Minute Order made in the above matter, on the thirteenth day of August, A. D. 1906.

Attest my hand and seal of said Court, this thirteenth day of August, 1906.

(Seal) H. I. MULCREVY, Clerk.

By WALTER E. TREFTS, Deputy Clerk.

Privilege of Floor.

Hon. Carroll Cook appeared on behalf of the Judges of the Superior Court, was granted the privilege of the floor, and requested that suitable quarters be provided at once for said Court. His Honor recommended the acceptance of the offer to lease for \$1000 per month the second floor of building proposed to be constructed on the southeast corner of Golden Gate avenue and Hyde street.

Motion.

Supervisor Wilson moved the reference of the matter to the Finance and Public Buildings Committee with instructions to consider the matter immediately.

So ordered.

Presentation of Petitions Filed with Board.

Petitions, protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Petition: From the Holly Park Improvement Club, recommending that the San Francisco Gas and Electric Light Company be required to place their gas mains in the Bernal Heights and Holly Park District.

To the Finance Committee.

Communication: From the Metropolitan Iron Works, Inc., submitting an offer to purchase for \$9 per ton all cast iron, scrap or other cast iron-work lying in or about the New City Hall premises.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions: Of C. F. Boden, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 25-horsepower in premises situate on the north side of Nineteenth street between Guerrero

and Dolores, the same to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Of the Fink, Schindler Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 80-horsepower in premises situate on the north side of Thirteenth street, 104 feet west of Howard street, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Of A. B. Maynard, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 5-horsepower in premises situate on east line of Seventh street, 100 feet southerly from Bryant street, the same to be used in furnishing power for a macaroni factory.

Of H. R. Robbins, for permission to erect and main a steam boiler of 10-horsepower in premises situate on the south line of Tehama street, 250 feet easterly from Sixth street, the same to be used for furnishing steam in a grist mill.

Of Smith-Evans Planing Mill Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 40-horsepower in premises situate at No. 3572 Nineteenth street, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Of Geo. C. Payne, for permission to store and use crude petroleum at premises situate on Bryant street, between Seventh and Eighth streets.

Of the White Star Laundry Company, for permission to store and use crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in premises No. 385 Eighth street.

Communication: From Holly Park Improvement Club, calling attention to the lack of water facilities for fire protection and domestic purposes, in the Holly Park and Bernal Heights districts.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Protest: Of the Southern Pacific Company, and other property owners, against the establishment and maintenance of a stable in premises situate on the northerly side of Fourteenth street between Mission and Valencia streets, on the ground that the same constitutes a nuisance.

Of G. W. Ewde, and other property owners of the Western Addition, against the establishment and maintenance of a stable on the blocks bounded by Laguna, Grove, Oak and Larkin streets, on the ground that the same constitutes a public nuisance.

To the Police Committee.

Petition: Of Jas. J. McBride, for the refunding to him of the sum of

\$2.50 paid by the poundkeeper for the release of one dog, alleged to have been illegally impounded.

Of Mrs. C. Johnson, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$3.00, paid the poundkeeper for the release of one cow, alleged to have been illegally impounded.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Petition: Of W. A. S. Nicholson, to compel the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company to furnish a reasonable and adequate telephone service.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petition: Of Paul Neecke and other property owners, for permission to construct a sewer in Wool street, between Eugenia avenue and Powhatan avenue, and also to grade said street to the official line and grade.

Petition: From the California Fruit Canneries Association, and C. S. Holmes, for permission to lay and maintain a spur track, commencing at a point on Division street, 25 feet westerly from the westerly line of Utah street, connecting with the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company, running thence westerly and curving to the right into Mission Block No. 43.

Protest: Of Eleanor Martin, and other property owners, against granting of application of the Southern Pacific Company for permission to lay and maintain a spur track on Berry street between Third and Seventh streets.

Resolution: Of the Potrero Commercial and Manufacturers' Association, advocating the granting of spur track privileges wherever such privileges will tend to develop business and trade.

To the Special Committee on Water Supply.

Communication: From Wm. Muir, submitting for the information of the Board of Water Supply Engineers, the important features of the Lake Tahoe and McKinstrey watershed.

From the North Coast Range Water and Power Company, submitting an offer to furnish the City and County of San Francisco a water supply having its source in the watershed of the Cottonwood river in Shasta and Tehama Counties.

File.

The following matters were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Communication: From the Howard Street Protective Improvement As-

sociation, expressing its appreciation and thanks for the efficient aid rendered by the Board of Supervisors in the matter of removing the temporary tracks obstructing Howard street.

From J. Downey Harvey, President of the Ocean Shore Railway Company, notifying the Board that his company has commenced the work of taking up and removing its temporary tracks on Howard and Steuart streets.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Communication: From the Assessor, recommending that certain property erroneously assessed for the year 1905 be withdrawn from delinquent tax sale and re-assessed for the year 1906.

To the Finance Committee.

Communication: From the Board of Public Works, recommending that the sum of \$600 be set aside for the purchase of necessary apparatus for the Bureau of Light and Water.

Also, that the sum of \$50 be set aside for the purchase of a pump for use by the Boiler Inspector in the discharge of his duties.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

Communication: From the Board of Public Works, recommending that P. Quinn be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after September 1, 1906, within which to complete his contract for Laguna Honda school, situate on Seventh avenue between I and J streets.

Also, with requisition for one telephone for use in the residence of the Superintendent of the Street Cleaning Department, No. 405 Buchanan street.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Communication: From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of performing the following street work, the expenses thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property.

1. That Twenty-ninth avenue, between Point Lobos avenue and A street, be graded to the official line and grade, and that redwood curbs be constructed on both sides of the roadway thereof, and that the roadway and sidewalks thereof be macadamized.

2. That a brick cesspool and a 10-inch iron stone pipe culvert be con-

structed on the westerly side of Masonic avenue, near the northerly line of Congress street to connect with the sewer in Masonic avenue.

3. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the following streets, to wit:

On both sides of Valencia street between Twenty-third and Twenty-sixth streets; on both sides of Sixteenth street, between Howard and Market streets; on both sides of Belcher street, between Duboce avenue and Fourteenth street; on both sides of Bryant street, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets; on the southwesterly angular corner of the crossing of Bryant and Twenty-third streets, and on both sides of Treat avenue, between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Baker street between Fulton and Oak streets, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of I street and Tenth avenue, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$2500 be set aside out of the proceeds of the sale of street bonds for the replacing of curbing on Turk street from Mason to Hyde streets, said curbing having been destroyed in the recent fire.

Also, recommending the construction of a 21-inch iron stone pipe sewer with appurtenances in Eighth street from the center line of Brannan street to a point 381 feet northwesterly from Bryant street, at an estimated cost to the City and County of \$2000.

Also, recommending the reduction of the width of sidewalks to fifteen feet on Howard street between East street and its easterly termination.

Also, recommending that the "House Numbering Ordinance" recently incorporated in the new "Building Law" be amended so as to regulate house numbering along Market street, so that the numbers on both sides thereof shall conform to each other as nearly as possible.

Also, recommending that C. S. Harney be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after August 21, 1906, within which to complete his contract for the reconstruction of a stone curb and basalt block pavement on Fourth street from Howard street to Freelon street.

Also, recommending that C. S. Har-

ney be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after September 1, 1906, within which to complete his contract for the improvement of H street between Twentieth and Twenty-eighth avenues.

Also, recommending that C. S. Harney be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after September 1, 1906, within which to complete his contract for the reconstruction of curbs and pavement on Stevenson street between Third and Fourth streets.

Also, recommending that Healy, Tibbits Company be granted an extension of 30 days' time from and after September 1, 1906, within which to complete their contract for the construction of approaches to Third-street bridge at Channel street.

Also, recommending that the Pacific Coast Construction Company be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after August 14, 1906, within which to complete contract for the construction of sewers on Sixth street between Howard and Brannan streets. To the Special Committee on Water Supply.

From the City Engineer, with report on the American Consumes Water Project and the Blue Lakes and Mokolumne Water Project, filed pursuant to Resolution of the Board of Supervisors, passed June 12, 1905.

File.

A Communication from the Board of Public Works, requesting to be advised in the matter of teaming contract for said Board, was received, read and ordered placed on file, the Clerk being directed to reply.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and placed on file:

Fire Committee, by Supervisor McGushin (Acting).

Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee, by Supervisor Rea.

Report of Joint Committee on Finance and Streets, Sewers and Parks.

In Matter of Statements of George W. Renner That Money Was Paid for Securing Spur Track Privileges.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: Your Joint Committee on Finance and Streets, Sewers and Parks and Finance, begs leave to present the following report:

In regard to the reported statements of George W. Renner that money was paid for securing spur track privileges,

Your Committee desires to report that it subpoenaed Mr. Breuner of the firm of John Breuner Company, who denied positively that his firm had ever directly or indirectly paid any sum of money or fee for securing such a privilege.

Mr. Renner was sworn, and under oath stated that he had no knowledge of any such transaction, but claimed that some one had told him that he had heard so. He refused to give the name of the party circulating the report, but stated that he would give it to His Honor the Mayor.

Your Committee reports that there is no foundation for the statements, and no further attention should be paid to any statements by Mr. Renner. When he communicates with the Mayor the matter can be given any further attention that it may seem to require.

Mr. Renner apologized to Supervisor Gallagher, whose name was mentioned in the matter, and this seems to us to close the matter.

Attached to this Report and made a part thereof is a transcript of the testimony taken at the meeting of your Joint Committee.

Respectfully,

JAMES L. GALLAGHER.

SAM DAVIS.

E. I. WALSH.

Finance Committee.

L. A. REA.

J. J. FUREY.

JENNINGS PHILLIPS.

Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Read and ordered filed.

(Transcript of Testimony referred to in above Report is on file in Clerk's Office of Supervisors, as Document No. 779.)

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON WATER SUPPLY.

Declaring Against Availability of Sources of Water Supply from Stanislaus River and from Snow Mountain and Eel River.

The following Report of the Special Committee on Water Supply was received, read and adopted:

To the Hon. Board of Supervisors:

Your committee on Water Supply begs leave to report in reference to the proposition of Mr. Beach Thompson to sell to the city the right to take 200 million gallons

daily from the Stanislaus River, that it be not referred to the Board of Engineers for further examination for the following reasons:

1st: The proposition was submitted after the Board of Engineers was already appointed and not at the time the other projects were brought forward.

Outside of the manifest injustice to the other proponents it would be hardly fair to have this project considered by the Board of Engineers already selected by his Honor the Mayor, prior and without regard to the submission of this particular proposal.

2nd: The proposition does not give to the city the absolute ownership of the water, but only its use with the reservation of power development to the proponents.

We are of the opinion that the city should have the right, as it will have the need, of all power capable of development from its water supply.

3rd: This supply is proposed to be taken from the Middle Fork of the Stanislaus River. This river was considered as a possible source of water supply for the city by City Engineer Grunsky, and his report thereon is contained in the municipal reports of 1900 and 1901, at pages 344 and 345. Mr. Grunsky declares against this supply upon the double score of low rain-fall and lack of sufficient storage facilities.

4th: It is said that this project will deprive the lands in that section of our state of water necessary for irrigation.

With reference to the Snow Mountain and Eel River supply, we are of the opinion that the public sentiment of our city will insist upon the acquisition of a Sierra Nevada water supply, and as the Snow Mountain supply is from the Coast Range, we are of the opinion that it would be useless further to consider it. Moreover, from the information which we have been able to obtain, it would appear impossible to develop from this source a supply of 200 million gallons per day without using water of the Russian River, running through a thickly populated country, and we are also informed that the pipe line in this project running across the bay from Marin County to San Francisco would be an experiment untried, risky, dangerous and perhaps impossible.

Moreover, this proposition also reserves to the proponents the development of power which the city should have for it-

self in conjunction with its own water supply.

JENNINGS PHILLIPS,
JAMES L. GALLAGHER,
CHAS. BOXTON,
E. I. WALSH,
JAS. F. KELLY,
Committee.

Instruction of Special Committee on Water Supply to Advisory Board of Engineers in Matter of Acquisition of Water Supply for San Francisco.

The following instructions of the Special Committee on Water Supply to the Advisory Board of Engineers, appointed to act in conjunction with the City Engineer, in the matter of examination of available sources of water supply for San Francisco, were received, read and adopted.

On March 16th, 1906, the Board of Supervisors of San Francisco issued an invitation for Proposals for Water Supply for the City under the following terms:

"All persons, companies, associations or corporations having or controlling sources of supply of pure, fresh water, adequate for the city's needs and purposes, which they are willing to transfer to the city, be and they hereby are requested on or before Monday, the 9th day of April, 1906, to present and submit to this Board for its consideration their respective propositions for furnishing the city an adequate supply of pure, fresh water, giving a complete outline of their sources of supply and of the title thereof and the price for which the same will be furnished to the city.

"No supply will be considered which will not be capable of furnishing to the city an immediate daily supply of not less than sixty million gallons per day and an absolute guarantee of a future possible development of not less than two hundred million gallons per day, as the population of the city shall increase.

"The propositions so to be submitted are to be considered by this Board, but the Board does not commit itself to the acquisition of any one of them unless the same shall be in all respects adequate and satisfactory, both as to quality and quantity of the supply and its relative cost to the city."

In answer to the above invitation thirteen proposals were submitted to the Board of Supervisors on April 9th, 1906. The documents which outlined these proposals were lost in the fire following the earthquake, and after the earthquake an invitation was issued for the renewal of

these proposals, and on June 21st, 1906, at a public hearing of the Water Committee of the Board of Supervisors eleven projects were submitted, either in writing, or in writing and by personal advocates; from these eleven proposals the Board has eliminated all but five, for reasons stated and now appearing upon the records of this Board.

The five which are presented to the Board of Engineers for their consideration are as follows:

1st: Russell L. Dunn (North Fork American River).

2nd: Orrin S. Henderson (Middle Fork American River).

3rd: Bay Cities Water Co. (South Fork American River and North Fork Cosumnes River).

4th: Sierra Nevada Water & Power Co. (Mokelumne River).

5th: William Muir (North and Middle Fork American River).

This Board according to the true intentment of the resolution inviting proposals and also according to its actual intention, desires to consider no proposal seriously unless such proposal contemplates undivided fee simple ownership by the city itself in all reservoirs and structures appurtenant thereto.

This committee does not desire to have further considered any water proposition which will not vest in the city the absolute right to use the water supply for all purposes, nor does it wish to have seriously considered any source of supply submitted with the reservation to the proponents of the use of such water for development of power, as the city itself may and probably will require for its own purposes the use of any power which may be developed therefrom.

If therefore in the course of your investigation you should find that any scheme of water supply submitted is based upon the reservation of power development to the proponents, this committee instructs you that such supply with such reservation is not desired by the city.

In other words, this Board wishes to acquire a supply which will be under the absolute control of the city, both as to the reservoir sites and necessary structures appurtenant thereto and as to its source of supply, and does not intend to recommend to the people of San Francisco to vote for the acquisition of anything but an absolute title to the reservoir sites and to the water control for all purposes, including the free use of all power that may be possible of develop-

ment in connection with the construction of its water systems, and also the absolute ownership of all ditches, conduits, pipe lines and structures necessarily appurtenant to the development of such water supply.

The five proposals hereinabove referred to are the only ones submitted to us which we have deemed necessary and worthy of further consideration, and you are hereby instructed to examine the same and to report to us at the earliest moment possible which one of them in your opinion is the most desirable from every point of view for the city to acquire.

We desire your committee to consider each of these proposals separately, and to report on the following special points, it being understood that we desire as early a report as possible after such examination as will enable you to report comprehensively upon the availability of these various proposals.

Time is a very essential element and we wish that your examination may be as rapid as consistent with careful general investigation.

I.

Water Producing Capabilities of Each Source.

Should any one of the five projects submitted be incapable of producing at least sixty million gallons of water per day by early development, and at least two hundred million gallons per day by ultimate potential development, then such project should be given no further consideration by your Board.

And for the purpose of arriving at your determination in this regard you are expected in general to confine your attention to the consideration of the works and improvements proposed by the proponents offering the same, that is to say, your duties are in a general way to be those of an examining Board to consider the projects which are presented to the city for acquisition and not those of a designing Board to work out plans of water supply possible or independent of the plans proposed by the respective proponents.

II.

Purity of Water.

We desire you to consider the purity of the water from the various sources and its suitability for city use, and also the probable continuing purity under probable conditions of development of the country from which the water is to be obtained.

It is proper to say in this connection that, other things being equal, we are unequivocally in favor of the proposal whose stored sources of supply are at the highest elevation in the Sierra Nevada Mountains, and above the regions which afford inducement to the agriculturist and are likely ever to develop into mining camps.

III.

Pipe Line.

With reference to the necessary pipe line you will consider length, practicability, safety against disaster, influence on quality of water and relative costs of various conduits from each source.

The respective proponents are expected to furnish considerable data as to the location, character and cost of conduits from their respective proposed sources of supply and you will be expected to confine yourself largely to the consideration of the data so furnished. At the same time you may consider any other data which may occur to you in this connection, with reference to pipe lines, their location and cost.

IV.

Title to Lands and Water, and Opposing Interests.

These questions will probably come before the City Attorney in due time, yet your Board is expected to report to this Committee in a general way your views regarding probabilities, for each source, of conflict with irrigationists, farmers, power companies and various other opposing rights should the waters be diverted from their present course for use of the City and County of San Francisco.

V.

Cost of Plant.

You will be expected to consider the comparative entire cost and cost of operation of the several complete water systems proposed, based on

(a) The proposed selling price for the complete impounding, collecting and storage system of each project above the point of diversion into the conduit which is to conduct the water into the city, including water rights and all necessary lands and structures.

(b) The probable cost of a practical, suitable and safe conduit line from that point to San Francisco.

(c) Surety of supply, safety and durability of structures and quality of water are the most potent elements which will govern the action of this Board in acquiring any particular source.

You are therefore requested to examine particularly,

(a) Into the safety, suitability and permanence of the structures proposed.

(b) Into the greater safety which might be given by a large number of reservoirs, against serious damage to the system by the failure of a single reservoir, or dam, and

(c) Into the comparative economies of the development of the several proposed supplies, gradually increasing the supply from 60 million to 200 million gallons per day.

In conclusion the Board of Supervisors is satisfied from the investigation already made that among the five proposals herewith submitted to you there are several that the city and county of San Francisco might acquire with great profit to the future of the municipality, and you are therefore expected to report a selection at as early a date as may be consistent with thoroughness of the investigation you are called upon to make, bearing in mind that you are expected to consider only such details as may be essential to a safe choice of that one among the several systems which you may consider best for recommendation to the city and county of San Francisco for its future supply.

Should you be satisfied from your preliminary consideration that any proposition among the five submitted to you cannot deliver the necessary water supply for any reason whatever, you may decline to make any physical examination of such source of supply. You may and are expected to call upon any and all of said proponents to furnish you with any data in their possession that may facilitate your work.

We suggest to you in a general way that what we desire is to select from among these propositions herewith submitted to you, that which in your judgment appears to be the safest, surest and best source of water supply for the city to acquire and operate as a municipal water system.

And we specially request of you to be as expeditious as may be consistent with proper and necessary examination in arriving at your conclusion, inasmuch as the state of San Francisco's water supply requires early and prompt action in this regard by our people.

JENNINGS PHILLIPS,
JAMES L. GALLAGHER,
CHAS. BOXTON,
E. I. WALSH,
JAS. F. KELLY,

Committee.

Supervisors Coleman and Lonergan were noted present.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Action Deferred.

Authorizing Board of Health to Remove Persons Afflicted with Certain Contagious Diseases.

Bill No. 47, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing and empowering the Board of Health of the City and County of San Francisco to remove persons afflicted with smallpox, cholera, yellow fever, bubonic plague or typhus fever," laid over from a prior meeting, was taken up and,

On motion of Supervisor Bixton, again laid over until the next meeting.

Passed for Printing.

Amending Ocean Shore Railway Co. Franchise.

Bill No. 49, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance amending Section 8 of Ordinance No. 1808," providing for a grant to the Ocean Shore Railway Company, a railroad corporation, of a right of way for, and the right to construct, maintain and operate, a railroad, together with all necessary branches, sidetracks, turn outs, switches, crossings, spur tracks, yard tracks, depot tracks and terminal tracks and facilities, along, over, under, across and upon certain streets, avenues, alleys, places and properties in the City and County of San Francisco," approved April 2, 1906," laid over from a prior meeting, was taken up, and,

On motion of Supervisor Rea, passed for printing.

Presentation of Bills and Accounts.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$39,553.58, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 4881 to 5394 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of the Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said demands having been duly approved by the Finance Committee, and,

On his motion, said Demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Water Service.

On motion of Supervisor Walsh:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1000, to be made out of the Surplus Fund, in payment to Spring Valley Water Company for water supplied for sprinkling streets during months of May and June, 1906, as per agreement and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Maintenance of Minors.

On motion of Supervisor Sanderson:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$672.70, to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to Pajaro Valley Orphan Asylum, for maintenance of minors committed from Juvenile Detention Home from March 1 to June 30, 1906.

Authorizing Payment, Lumber, Board of Public Works.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1524.82, to be made out of the Surplus Fund, in payment to Blyth & Trott for lumber supplied the Board of Public Works as per contract and bill rendered.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Del Monte Milling Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 250 horsepower in premises situate at northeast corner of Lombard and Montgomery streets, the same to be used for operating flour mill.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting L. & E. Emanuel, Inc., permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain engines and boilers of 200 horsepower in premises situate on Twelfth street, between Mission and Howard streets, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Eng-Skell Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 8 horsepower in premises at No. 1538 Valencia street, the same to be used in the process of cooking fruit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Fisk Rubber Company

permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 7 horsepower in premises No. 1036 Golden Gate avenue, the same to be used in the process of repairing rubber tires.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting H. R. Newbauer permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 35 horsepower in premises designated as being on east line of Seventh street, 175 feet south of Howard, the same to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting A. B. Stacy permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 5 horsepower in premises situate at No. 729 Clementina street, the same to be used in carpenter shop.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Western Wire Mattress Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 15 horsepower in premises on westerly side of Polk street, between Union and Filbert streets, the same to be used for furnishing power in wire mattress factory.

Oil Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Atlas Brass Works permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank of not more than 1500 gallons' capacity in premises situate at No. 827 Folsom street, the same to be used for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Del Monte Milling Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank of not more than 1500 gallons capacity in premises situate on northeast corner of Lombard and Montgomery streets, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Blasting Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting The Globe Grain and Milling Company permission to explode blasts for the purpose of grading Chestnut

street between Montgomery and Kearny streets.

Provided said Globe Grain and Milling Company shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand dollars as fixed by the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting The Union Iron Works permission to explode blasts for the purpose of removing a steel and wooden platform in order to erect a new drydock platform.

Provided said Union Iron Works shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Requiring Circus Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Furey:

Bill No. 51. Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Requiring a permit to be obtained from the Board of Supervisors for conducting a circus."

Relating to Chimney Inspection.

On motion of Supervisor Boxton:

Bill No. 52. Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 11 (New Series), entitled, 'Prohibiting the use of chimneys until inspection thereof is made by the Board of Public Works; providing for such inspection and for appointment by said Board of chimney inspectors, and authorizing the issuance of certificates of inspection, fixing the amount of fees and providing for the payment thereof,' by adding a new section, to be known as Section 12, and renumbering Section 12 Section 13."

Amending Building Law, as to Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Bill No. 53. Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 320 of Ordinance No. 31 (New Series), entitled, 'Regulating the construction, erection, enlargement, raising, alteration, repair removal, maintenance, use and height of buildings; regulating character and use of materials in and for buildings, establishing fire limits and repealing all ordinances in conflict with this ordinance,' the provisions of which require permits for public livery and boarding stables, or for stables to accommodate more than six (6) horses, to be granted upon presentation of the written consent of the owners of property within one hundred (100) feet of the proposed stable on each side; provided, that a copy

of such written consent be previously filed with the Board of Supervisors, and that buildings for stabling animals above the first or ground floor, unless fire-proof, shall not be erected or altered.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Board of Public Works Estimate Cost of Reconstructing Sewer in Haight Street, Between Pierce and Steiner Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Boxton:

Resolution No. 274 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby requested to furnish this Board with an estimate of cost of reconstructing the sewer in Haight street, between Pierce and Steiner streets, and also to recommend to the Supervisors the doing of said work.

Install Telephones.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas:

Resolution No. 275 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Pacific States Telegraph and Telephone Company be and is hereby requested to place a telephone in the residence of Dr. O. S. Kucich, autopsy surgeon of the Corner, at No. 1178 McAllister street.

Appointed Building Experts to Examine City Hall and Hall of Justice.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. 276 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following-named Building Experts and Structural Engineers John J. Mahoney, William Currett, Owen E. Brady and Henry A. Schulze be, and they are, hereby appointed to forthwith examine the City Hall and Hall of Justice and ascertain whether it is possible and advisable to restore the City Hall and Hall of Justice, or either of them, as permanent buildings, and to make an estimate of the cost thereof; also to ascertain and report the feasibility of placing the City Hall and Hall of Justice, or either of them, in condition for temporary occupancy, and to furnish an estimate of the cost thereof to his Honor the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors on or before its next meeting, on Monday, August 20, 1906.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were in-

troduced under suspension of the rules and adopted.

Providing for Additional Steward, Central Emergency Hospital.

On motion of Supervisor Davis:

Resolution No. 277 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of seven hundred and thirty-five (\$735) dollars be, and is, hereby set aside and appropriated out of the Urgent Necessity Fund for the purpose of providing compensation for an additional steward at the Central Emergency Hospital from August 15, 1906, to June 30, 1907. The attention of the Auditor and of the Treasurer is hereby called to the provisions of this Resolution.

Transferring Moneys to Tax Collector's Tax Account.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. 278 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The Tax Collector in communication filed August 3, 1906, states that owing to the destruction of his records on April 18, 1906, by fire, the sum of \$1209.75 was deposited with the Treasurer as a surplus fund in the Duplicate Tax Account, and as a number of parties have appeared at his office in reply to notice, with their bills marked paid, but have not been credited on the Real Estate Roll, and requesting that said sum of \$1209.75 be transferred to the Tax Collector's Tax Account; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the said sum of \$1209.75 be, and the same is, hereby transferred from the Duplicate Tax Fund to the Tax Collector's Tax Account, and the attention of the Auditor and Treasurer be, and is, hereby called to the provisions of this Resolution.

Relating to Application of Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company to Operate its Street Railroads with Electricity.

Supervisor Rea inquired when the application of the Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company for permission to electrify its street railway lines would be taken up.

Supervisor Gallagher replied that the application was still pending before the Committee of the Whole Board, and that President Geo. A. Newhall of the Presidio and Ferries R. R. Co., had been requested to produce copies of the existing franchises, which request had not been complied with up to the present time.

Motion.

Supervisor Rea moved that the matter of the validity of the franchises

of the Presidio and Ferries R. R. Co. be referred to the Judiciary Committee with instructions to report thereon at the meeting of the Board of the 20th inst.

Amendment.

Supervisor Coleman moved to amend that the matter be referred to the Judiciary Committee without instructions.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:05 o'clock, adjourned to meet on Thursday, August 16, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 16, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, August 16, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journal of the meeting of August 6, 1906, was read and approved.

The reading of the Journals of subsequent meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH BOARD

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

Petition: Of F. T. Hamilton, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$84, paid the Tax Collector as assessment in the matter of De Haro street change of grade, which assessment was subsequently held to be invalid by the courts.

Of the Treadwell Realty Company, for the refunding to it of the sum of \$57, rebate on rental from April 18, 1906, on premises located in the Library Block.

To the Fire Committee.

Petition: Of H. Plath, for permission to store and use crude oil as fuel under boilers in premises situate No. 510 Wyoming avenue.

Of C. A. Blume, for permission to blast concrete piles and wails in premises situate on the northeast corner of Spear and Mission streets.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Protest: Of J. M. Dupas and others, against the maintenance of a stable established by one W. A. Hirshiser on the north side of Folsom street 100 feet east of Fourth street, on the ground that the same is a detriment to property and also constitutes a nuisance.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petition: Of W. C. La Berge, for the immediate removal of steam boiler, kettles, apparatus and asphaltum maintained by C. S. Harney, street contractor, on the crossing of Seventh avenue and Clement street, on the ground that the same constitutes a nuisance by impeding traffic.

Communication: From Eleanor Martin, calling attention to the fact that the block on Buchanan street, between Vallejo and Broadway streets, is being neglected by the Street Cleaning Department, and requesting that this condition of affairs be remedied.

File.

The following bonds to explode blasts were received, read and ordered placed on file, the same having been approved by his Honor the Mayor:

Of E. W. McLellan & Company, in the sum of \$5000, with the Aetna Indemnity Company of Hartford, Conn., as surety thereon.

Of The American Biscuit Company, in the sum of \$5000, with the United States Fidelity and Guarantee Company as surety thereon.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Joint Committee on Finance and Public Utilities.

From the City Attorney, recommending that action be taken in the matter of payment of land on the northeast corner of Pine and Quincy streets, 22x59 feet, condemned for public park purposes.

I file.

The following Communications were received, read and ordered placed on file:

From the City Attorney, requesting that he be furnished with platting and descriptions of City and County prop-

erty to enable him to protect the City's interest in actions brought to quiet title under the so-called "McEnerney Act."

From the City Attorney, with copy of opinion rendered Tax Collector in the matter of collection of licenses on railroad freight and dirt cars.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payment, Fire Department Lot.

Resolution No. 279 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4000, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to John W. Flinn and Sarah A. Flinn for balance due on purchase price of lot of land purchased for Fire Department in accordance with Resolution No. 6238.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Authorizing Payment, Park Fund Claims.

Resolution No. 280 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1723.39, to be made out of the Park Fund, in payment to the following firms for material furnished and services rendered the Park Commissioners as follows:

To Eckstrom Lumber Co.,	
lumber	\$1023 39
Standard Electrical Construction Co., wiring	700 00

\$1723 39

As per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 281 (New Series), Granting Adolph Hromada Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 40 horsepower in premises situate at No. 1310-1330 Folsom street, the same to be used for manufacturing candies.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Resolution No. 282 (New Series), Granting S. Lehman permission, dur-

ing the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 10 horsepower in premises situate on Lyon street, near Greenwich, the same to be used for furnishing power for beer bottling establishment.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Resolution No. 283 (New Series), Granting St. Francis Technical School permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 14 horsepower in premises situate on southeast corner of Oak and Webster streets, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Resolution No. 284 (New Series), Granting Standard Biscuit Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 50 horsepower in premises situate on the northeast corner of Sansome and Pacific streets, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Resolution No. 285 (New Series), Granting Swett-Davenport Lumber Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 125 horsepower in premises situate on the southwest corner of Taylor and Beach streets, the same to be used for planing-mill purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 286 (New Series), Granting Adolph Hromada Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank not exceeding 1500 gallons capacity in premises situate on the northeast corner of Folsom and Dore streets, the same to be used for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman,

Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Resolution No. 287 (New Series), Granting Herbert E. Law permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank of 10,000 gallons capacity in premises known as the "Monadnock Building," situate on the corner of Market and Annie streets, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Extensions of Time, Street Work.

Resolution No. 288 (New Series), Granting J. J. Dowling the following extensions of time to complete the contract for the performance of the following street work:

Sixty days' time from and after August 8, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of stone curbs and bituminous rock pavements on Twenty-third street and crossing of Sanchez street.

Sixty days' time from and after September 20, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of stone curbs and bituminous rock pavement on Ninth avenue and the crossing of J street.

Sixty days' time from and after August 13, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of stone curbs and basalt block pavement on Harrison street from Fourth to Sixth streets

Ninety days' time from and after September 20, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of stone curbs and bituminous rock pavement on Tenth avenue and crossing of J street.

These extensions of time are granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to secure the material with which to prosecute the work, owing to the recent calamity.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Resolution No. 289 (New Series), Granting Flinn & Treacy an extension of ninety days' time from and after August 6, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of sewers in Seventh street from Howard to Market streets, and

in Market street from Seventh to Jones streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to secure suitable material with which to prosecute the work, owing to the recent calamity.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Resolution No. 290 (New Series), Granting the Eureka Construction Company an extension of ninety days' time within which to complete contract for the construction of a sewer in Seventh avenue between H and L streets, and the construction of sewers in San Jose avenue and Ocean avenue and Onondago avenue.

This extension is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to secure material with which to complete his contract, owing to the recent disaster.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Resolution No. 291 (New Series), Granting the Western Construction Company an extension of sixty days' time from and after July 25, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on Sixth avenue between B and C streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to secure material for the completion of the contract, owing to the recent disaster.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Appointing A. L. O'Grady to Revise Ordinances.

Bill No. 50, Ordinance No. 43 (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the appointment by the Board of Supervisors of an assistant for the purpose of compiling and revising the ordinances of the City and County of San Francisco, and fixing the compensation of said assistant," the provision of which in addition to those recited in its title, appoint A. L. O'Grady as assistant to the Supervisors.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Recommittal.

Regulating Construction and Use of Spur Tracks.

Bill No. 48, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for and regulating the construction, maintenance and use of spur or side tracks on and over public streets within the City and County of San Francisco, and fixing penalties for the violation thereof," heretofore passed for printing, was taken up, and,

On motion of Supervisor Phillips, ordered referred to the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Recommittal.

Authorizing Board of Health to Remove Persons Afflicted with Certain Contagious Diseases.

Bill No. 47, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing and empowering the Board of Health of the City and County of San Francisco to remove persons afflicted with smallpox, cholera, yellow fever, bubonic plague or typhus fever," laid over from a prior meeting, was taken up and,

On motion of Supervisor Boxton, recommended to the Hospital and Health Committee.

Adopted.

Providing for the Construction of a Morgue Building and Coroner's Office.

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

"Resolved, That the sum of five thousand (\$5000) dollars be and the same is hereby set aside for the purpose of erecting and constructing a suitable building for the use and purposes of a City Morgue and Coroner's Office, upon a site to be hereafter selected," heretofore referred to the Public Buildings Committee, and returned by said Committee with the recommendation that the same do pass, was taken up, and,

On motion, adopted as Resolution No. 292 (New Series).

Report of Finance Committee.

The following Report was read and adopted:

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Finance, to which various matters were referred, respectfully begs leave to submit the following Report:

Regarding the Communication from the Board of Education, submitting Resolution adopted by said Board requesting that money be set aside for

machinery and equipment for the Polytechnic High School.

Your Committee recommends that the sum of \$7500 be allowed for this purpose out of the School Construction Account of the Public Building Fund.

In the matter of the Communication from the Board of Public Works, submitting Report of City Engineer recommending that \$3000 be set aside out of the Bond Issue for repaving, etc., Howard street, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets,

Your Committee recommends that the same be allowed.

Regarding the Communication from the Board of Public Works, requesting that the sum of \$80,000 be set aside for sewer work on Market street, and \$86,000 be set aside for the paving of said street,

Your Committee would state that in a subsequent Communication (filed July 30, 1906) from said Board, it was stated that the City Engineer recommended that in order to expedite the work that the sum of \$100,000 be set aside for the repaving and \$100,000 for the sewerage of said street.

The City Engineer says this amount will be required, as it is intended to work night and day on this improvement.

Your Committee, therefore, reports in favor of setting aside the sum of \$100,000 for the repaving and \$100,000 for the sewerage, to be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of bonds.

Regarding the Resolution referred to your Committee providing for an appropriation of \$5000 for constructing a suitable building for the use and purposes of a City Morgue,

Your Committee recommends the passage of the same.

In the matter of the Communication from the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company, enclosing bills against the city for \$16.10 for light furnished Mowry's Hall,

Your Committee has instructed the Clerk to notify the Company that the same is not a charge against the City.

Regarding the Communication from the Department of Elections, submitting a letter from the Phoenix Insurance Company, together with proofs of loss which were returned, the company disclaiming any liability for loss through the destruction of voting machines.

Your Committee has requested the Department of Elections to deliver the policies of Insurance to this Board, in

order that the same may be transmitted to the City Attorney so that said Official can commence suit against the Insurance Company.

In the matter of the Communication from the Recorder stating that certain coin which was on hand on April 18, 1906, was reduced to bullion through the recent disaster, and that he had no means of ascertaining its value,

Your Committee has requested the Clerk to notify the Recorder to have the money sent to the Mint, and report back its value in money.

Regarding the Communication from the North Central Improvement Association, requesting that a Chemical Engine Company be established and maintained in the remaining financial district of the City,

Your Committee has requested the Communication to be transmitted to the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department.

Your Committee recommends that the claims of H. A. McCall and Klopstock Bros., referred to the Board of Supervisors by the Relief and Red Cross Committee, be referred to the Board of Health and Board of Public Works, respectively.

Your Committee reports adversely to the following matters:

Communication from W. R. Hewitt, Chief of the Department of Electricity, for allowance of claim for typewriter taken during the recent disaster.

Petition of J. B. Reite, for the refund of the sum of \$7, being fee paid the Board of Public Works for a building permit.

Petition of Nathan Diamond, for the refund of \$3.80 paid the Recorder.

Petition of J. A. Waldeufel, for the refund of certain taxes.

Petition of S. Kramer, with claim for lumber taken from him during the recent disaster.

Your Committee recommends that the following matters be placed on file:

Report of the Sheriff for the fiscal year 1905-1906.

From the following Departments with statement of expense up to the end of the fiscal year 1905-1906, to wit: Chief of Police, School Department, Auditor, Tax Collector, Sheriff, Assessor, City and County Hospital, Recorder, Justices' Clerk, San Francisco Law Library, District Attorney.

JAMES L. GALLAGHER.

SAM DAVIS.

E. I. WALSH.

Finance Committee.

Presentation of Bills and Accounts.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$7956.18, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 5211 to 5504, inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of the Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Walsh, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said Demands having been duly approved by the Finance Committee, and,

On his motion, said Demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—11.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Engineering Services.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1500 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Marsden Manson for services rendered as civil engineer in examining and reporting upon the availability of the sources of water supply offered to the City and County by the Bay Cities Water Company and by the Sierra Water and Power Company.

Authorizing Payment, Patent Chimneys, Almshouse.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$800 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to L. E. Clawson & Co. for patent chimneys furnished for repairs to Almshouse, as per bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Lumber, Board of Public Works.

On motion of Supervisor Phillips: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2001.77 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to J. W. Schouten & Co. for lumber furnished the Board of Works, as per bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Department of Electricity.

On motion of Supervisor Kelly:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2205.91, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for supplies furnished the Department of Electricity, viz:

California Electrical Works,	
electrical supplies	\$936.36
C. W. Marwedel, tools and	
hardware	680.35
John A. Roebling's Sons	
Company, wire	589.20

\$2205.91

Authorizing Payment, Book Typewriting Machines.

On motion of Supervisor Coleman: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$6650 out of the General Fund in payment to F. J. Cooper for book typewriting machines furnished, as follows:

16 machines for County Recorder ..	\$2800.00
14 machines for County Recorder ..	2450.00
8 machines for County Clerk ..	1400.00

\$6650.00

Reducing Width of Howard Street Sidewalks.

On motion of Supervisor Phillips: Bill No. 54, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the Width of Sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by amending Section No. 84 thereof," the provisions of which reduce the width of sidewalks on Howard street between East street and its southerly termination to fifteen (15) feet.

Adopted.

Install Telephone.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas: Resolution No. 293 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company be and is hereby authorized and requested to connect the telephone in the residence of Election Commissioner Thomas McGuire, 55 Dame street, with the service of said company.

Ordering Refunding of Poundkeeper's Fees.

On motion of Supervisor Walsh: Resolution No. 294 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Auditor and Treasurer be and they are hereby di-

rected to refund to the following named persons the amounts set opposite their respective names, said sums of money having been paid the Poundkeeper for the release of animals illegally impounded, to wit:

James J. McBride, for release of one dog\$2.50
Mrs. Amey, 2814 Golden Gate avenue, for the release of one dog 2.50

Providing for Equipment, Polytechnic High School.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:

Resolution No. 295 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of seven thousand five hundred (\$7500.00) dollars be and the same is hereby set aside out of the Surplus Fund of 1905-06 for the purchase of machinery and equipment for the temporary Polytechnic High School.

Action Deferred.

Authorizing Board of Health to Remove Persons Afflicted with Certain Contagious Diseases.

Bill No. 47, Ordinance No. — (New Series), referred at this meeting to the Hospital and Health Committee, and returned by said Committee amended in various particulars, and with the recommendation that the same do pass, as amended, was taken up, said Bill being re-entitled, "Authorizing and empowering the Board of Health of the City and County of San Francisco, to remove persons afflicted with certain contagious or infectious diseases."

Privilege of Floor.

Jas. A. Devoto, attorney for Board of Health, was granted the privilege of the floor and was heard at length in explanation of the nature of the Bill and the purposes intended to be effected by its provisions.

Motion.

Supervisor Wilson moved that action on the Bill be postponed one week.

So ordered.

Adopted.

Appropriating Bond Issue Moneys for Street and Sewer Work.

Supervisor Gallagher introduced the following Resolution, which was, on his motion, adopted as Resolution No. 296 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendations of the Board of Public Works the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside and appropriated out of the proceeds of the sale of bonds of the City and County of San Francisco for the purposes hereinafter specified, to wit:

Out of the Sewer Construction Account of the Public Building Fund—For the construction of a sewer in the lower end of Market street from Second to East streets\$100,000.00

Out of the Street Construction Account of the Public Building Fund—For the repaving of the lower end of Market street from Second to East streets \$100,000.00

Out of the Street Construction and the Sewer Construction Accounts of the Public Building Fund—For filling to grade, repaving with old basalt blocks, resetting curbs and reconstructing a sewer in Howard street, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets\$3,000.00

Out of the Street Construction Account of the Public Building Fund—For the grading and paving of Market street from Twelfth street to Valencia street; Valencia street from Market street to Hermann street, and Brady street from Market street to Stevenson street \$32,500.00

For the construction of the southerly portion of the East Potrero intercepting sewer and appurtenances \$100,000.00

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:40 o'clock adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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MONDAY, AUGUST 20, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, August 20, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

RELATING TO APPLICATION OF PRESIDIO AND FERRIES RAILROAD COMPANY TO OPERATE ITS STREET CAR LINES WITH ELECTRICITY.

Motion.

Supervisor Boxton moved that the members of the North Beach Improvement Club be granted the privilege of addressing the Board in relation to street railroad facilities in the northern section of the City.

So ordered.

Privilege of Floor.

O. D. Baldwin addressed Board, requesting that action be taken at once to restore the street railroad system on Union street by granting the application of the Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company permission to electrify its lines.

Theodore Bacigalupi, J. Owen, and others, addressed the Board favoring immediate action on the application.

Statement.

Supervisor Coleman, Chairman of

the Judiciary Committee, reported that the officials of the Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company had not yet submitted their original franchise and that in consequence thereof the Committee could not report on its legality. Whenever the franchise was submitted the Committee would report at once.

Motion.

Supervisor Coleman moved that the matter of the existence and legality of the franchise of the Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company be referred to the City Attorney for his opinion.

Amendment.

Supervisor Wilson moved to amend that before such action be taken, the Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company be given another opportunity to present their franchise to the Judiciary Committee and that the officials of the Company be forthwith notified to appear before said Committee meeting on August 21, 1906, and in the event of their failing to appear and produce their franchise, that the entire matter be referred to the City Attorney.

Amendment carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Noes—Supervisors Phillips, Rea—2.

Intention to Change Grades on Golden Gate Avenue, Between Jones and Leavenworth Streets.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Declaring it, to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Golden Gate avenue, between Jones and Leavenworth streets, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public

Works, filed July 9, 1906, laid over from a prior meeting, was taken up.

Motion.

Supervisor Boxton moved that the Board of Public Works be requested to submit a recommendation for a uniform change of grade on Golden Gate avenue between Taylor and Hyde streets.

So ordered.

Requesting Board of Public Works to Recommend Modified Grade on Golden Gate Avenue.

Adopted.

Thereupon, Supervisor Boxton introduced the following Resolution, which was, on his motion, adopted as Resolution No. 297 (New Series).

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and are hereby requested to recommend to this Board a uniform change of grades on Golden Gate avenue, between Taylor and Hyde streets.

Engine and Boiler Permit, No. 115 Main Street.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting D. C. Talbot permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of seventy-five (75) horsepower in premises situate at No. 115 Main street, the same to be used for furnishing power for planing mill, heretofore referred to the Fire Committee, and returned by said Committee with the recommendation that the same do finally pass, was taken up.

Privilege of Floor.

Wm. Denman, Attorney representing adjoining property owner, was granted the privilege of the floor and was heard at length in opposition to the passage of the Resolution, stating in part that the wholesale merchants who were rapidly moving into that section of the City, would be compelled to leave on account of the proximity of the planing mill, which increased the fire risk and caused insurance rates to be raised to a prohibitive sum.

Mme. A. Gros, owner of property on Main street, stated that if the planing mill was permitted to operate, it would prevent the leasing of her property to advantage, and in this ground opposed the permit.

Motion to Postpone Lost.

Supervisor Davis moved that action on the Resolution be postponed one week.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Davis,

Gallagher, Harrigan, Phillips, Walsh—6.

Noes—Supervisors Coleman, Duffey, Furey, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Wilson—8.

Motion to Finally Pass Lost.

Whereupon, the question being taken on the final passage of the Resolution, the motion was lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Duffey, Furey, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Wilson—7.

Noes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Phillips, Walsh—7.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petitions: Of W. M. Bowers, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$7.01, duplicate payment of taxes on the R. E. Roll of 1905.

Of J. Cogan, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$30.85, duplicate payment of taxes on the R. E. Roll of 1905.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions: Of the John Finn Metal Works, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 10 horsepower in premises situate No. 384 Second street, the same to be used to furnish power for a galvanizing plant.

Of Shermund & Krauss, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 5 horsepower in premises situate at No. 1432 Mission street, the same to be used in a plating works.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petition: Of H. P. Peterson, for permission to conduct an undertaking and embalming establishment at Nos. 1940-1942 Post street.

To the Police Committee.

Petitions: Of Mrs. Amey, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$2.50, fees paid the poundkeeper for the release of one dog, alleged to have been illegally impounded.

Of T. Hurst, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$2.60, fees paid the poundkeeper for the release of one dog, alleged to have been illegally impounded.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petition: Of the McDonald Lumber

Company, to lay and maintain a spur track, commencing at a point on the center line of King street at the westerly line of Third street, connecting with the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company, thence running with a curve to the left 310 feet in a south-westerly direction along King street, parallel to the southerly line of King street and at a distance therefrom of 18 feet, more or less.

Of the Market Street and Eureka Valley Improvement Club, to lower the grade of Market street from Fifteenth to Waller streets.

Of Subluk and Harris, for permission to lay and maintain a spur track from the line of the Ocean Shore Railway Company on Twelfth street into property located on the corner of Twelfth and Howard streets.

Of Mrs. Frederick, and other property owners, to open and extend Juniper street between Folsom and Harrison streets.

Communications: From Point Lobos Improvement Club, requesting a hearing on matters of interest to that section.

From the East Mission Improvement Club, calling attention to the condition of Potrero avenue where the Ocean Shore Railway Company have excavated for the laying of its tracks and have failed to complete the work.

Of H. K. Devely, and numerous other property owners and residents in the vicinity of Union street, for street railway facilities on said street.

COMMUNICATION AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Board of Election Commissioners, transmitting claims of W. H. Army and Thomas Douglas, in the respective sums of \$20, for labor performed in the Mission High School in placing electric lights therein, with the request that the same be paid out of the funds under the control of the Board of Supervisors.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending that the sum of \$14,700 be set aside to meet the increase of wages of skilled labor, as suggested by the President of the Building Trades Council and also enclosing table showing present and future wages.

To the Joint Committee on Finance and Streets, Sewers and Parks.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending that the sum of \$6000 be set aside out of the proceeds of the sale of bonds for the purpose of constructing a pile foundation for the proposed storm water sewer on Seventh street between Market and Howard streets.

To the Fire Committee.

From the San Francisco Fire Department, transmitting a communication from the Finance Committee of the Relief and Red Cross Funds, relative to a building erected on Van Ness avenue near Market street.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of performing the following street work, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property:

1. That stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on both sides of Filbert street between Van Ness avenue and Franklin street.

2. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on Seventh avenue between Clement street and Point Lobos avenue.

3. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on Stanyan street between Parnassus avenue and Eighteenth street.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Jordan avenue between Point Lobos avenue and California street, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending that Thos. Clark be granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after August 24, 1906, within which to complete his contract for the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on Franklin street between Union and Filbert streets.

Also, recommending that C. S. Harney be granted an extension of sixty days' time from and after August 24, 1906, within which to complete his contract for the construction of stone curbs and bituminous rock pavement on Alvarado street and San Jose avenue.

Also, recommending that Healy, Tibbits Company be granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after August 26, 1906, within which to complete their contract for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in

Baker street between Union and Lewis streets.

File.

The following Communications were received, read and ordered placed on file:

From the City Attorney, submitting copy of opinion rendered Grand Jury, relative to claims against the Relief and Red Cross Funds.

Also, submitting copy of opinion rendered Board of Police Commissioners, that it is within the power of said Board to transfer a saloon license from one location to another.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Committees by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered placed on file.

Fire Committee, by Supervisor Duffey.

Joint Committee on Fire and Water Rates, in matter of system of cisterns for fire protection, by Supervisor Phillips.

Judiciary Committee, by Supervisor Coleman.

Printing and Salaries Committee, by Supervisor Coleman (Acting).

Committee of Whole Board, in matter of annual bids for supplies, by Supervisor Gallagher.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$12,983.68, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 5510 to 5562 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Hargigan, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Supervisor Rea was excused and left his seat.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Repaving of Valencia Street.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$39,689.88 to be made out of the Street Improvement Account Public Buildings Fund in payment to City Street Improvement Company for labor and material furnished for paving Valencia street from a point 100 feet northerly from Nineteenth street to Mission street, in accordance with Resolution No. 6434 of the Board of Public Works.

Authorizing Payment, Rental of Official Quarters.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1400 to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to Maurice L. Asher for rental of premises Nos. 2511 and 2513 Sacramento street, used by the Assessor, the Tax Collector, the Auditor and the Justices of the Peace, from April 21, 1906, to June 30, 1906, as per bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Grading School Lot.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4627.35 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Frank Simonart for grading school lot at Twentieth and Kentucky streets, as per contract with Board of Public Works.

Authorizing Payment, Paving Waverly Place.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2070.88 to be made out of the Street Construction Account of Public Buildings in payment to City Street Improvement Company for paving, etc., for Waverly place, between Sacramento and Clay streets, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Paving California Street.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$9977.08 to be made out of the Street Construction Account of Public Building Fund in payment to City Street Improvement Company for street work on California street, between Mason and Jones streets, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Printing, County Clerk.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1359 to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to Phillips & Van

Order for printing for County Clerk's office, as per bill rendered.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Duffy:

Resolution No. —, (New Series), Granting the Fink & Schindler Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 80 horsepower in premises situate on north side of Thirteenth street, 104 feet west of Howard, the same to be used for milling purposes.

Also, Resolution No. —, (New Series), Granting S. Levi Woodworking Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 12 horsepower in premises situate at 446 Sixth street, the same to be used for furnishing steam for kiln drying.

Also, Resolution No. —, (New Series), Granting H. Robbins permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 10 horsepower in premises situate on south line of Tehama street, 250 feet east of Sixth street, the same to be used in a grist mill.

Oil Permits.

Also, Resolution No. —, (New Series), Granting Geo. C. Payne permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 1500 gallons in premises situate on Bryant street, between Seventh and Eighth streets, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Also, Resolution No. —, (New Series), Granting White Star Laundry Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 1500 gallons in premises situate at No. 385 Eighth street, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Blasting Permits.

Also, Resolution No. —, (New Series), Granting C. A. Blume permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the purpose of removing debris at the northeast corner of Spear and Mission streets.

Provided that C. A. Blume shall exe-

cute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$5000, as fixed by the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Also, Resolution No. —, (New Series), Granting Reed & Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the purpose of removing debris at Nos. 564-568 Sutter street.

Provided said Reed & Company shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$5000, as fixed by the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 55, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the full acceptance of the roadway of Baker street, between Fell and Oak streets, and the roadway of the crossing of I street and Tenth avenue, paved with bituminous rock."

Extension of Time, Street Work.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting C. S. Harney the following extensions of time to complete street work:

1. Ninety days' time from and after August 12, 1906, to complete the contract for the construction of stone curbs and basalt block pavement on Fourth street from Howard to Freelon street.

2. Ninety days' time from and after September 1, 1906, to complete the contract for the improvement of H street, between Twentieth and Twenty-eighth avenues, by grading and the construction of curbs and gutters therein and macadamizing the roadway and sidewalk thereof.

3. Ninety days' time from and after September 1, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of curbs and pavements in Stevenson street from Third to Fourth streets.

These extensions are granted for the reason that the contractor will be unable to complete the contract within the time fixed by the Board of Public Works.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Healy-Tibbitts Company an extension of thirty days' time from and after September 1, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the improvement of the easterly portion of Third street from Berry street to the bridge at Channel street by filling, etc.

Also, Resolution No. — (New

Series), Granting the Pacific Coast Construction Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after August 14, 1906, within which to complete the construction of sewers in Sixth street from Howard to Brannan streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that it will be impossible for said contractors to finish said contract within the time, although they are proceeding to do so with due diligence.

Extension of Time, School Construction Contract.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas: Resolution No. — (New Series). Granting P. Quinn an extension of ninety days' time from and after September 1, 1906, within which to complete the contract for which the construction of the Laguna Honda School, situated on Seventh avenue, between I and J streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the recent earthquake caused considerable damage to said building and thus retarded the work.

Amending Ordinance, Providing for Competitive Architectural Plans, Bond Issue Buildings.

On motion of Supervisor Bixton: Bill No. 57, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1767, entitled, 'Providing a general plan for the construction of all public buildings to be erected by the City and County of San Francisco from the proceeds of the sales of its municipal bonds issued for such construction, providing for the submission and acceptance of plans for such buildings through general competition open to all certified architects who are citizens of the United States and residents of this City and County, for the appointment of consulting architects and of a general supervising architect for such construction and determining their duties, also providing for the payment of services rendered by such architects and the manner in which expenditures may be authorized from the several accounts constituting the Public Building Fund of the City and County of San Francisco, for the construction of such buildings and for the payment of the cost of construction from such fund,' approved March 12, 1906, by adding a new section, to be known as Section No. 16 'A,' the provisions of which permit that whenever it shall appear to the

board, commission or officer which may have requested the construction of the aforesaid buildings, that it is inexpedient and not for the best interests of the City and County of San Francisco, or impossible to secure such suggestions and designs for plans the Board of Supervisors, on request of such board, commission or officer, shall select and appoint an architect or architects to prepare the necessary suggestions and designs for plans for the construction of the aforesaid buildings, without calling for competitive submissions.

Referred.

Repealing Chimney Inspection Ordinances

Supervisor Bixton introduced Bill No. 56, Ordinance No. —, entitled, "Repealing all ordinances providing for the inspection of chimneys," which was

On motion referred to the Fire Committee.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Spring Valley Water Co. Connect Mains with Cisterns.

On motion of Supervisor Phillips: Resolution No. 298 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Spring Valley Water Company be and it is hereby requested to connect its water mains with the following cisterns maintained for fire protection, for the purpose of enabling the rapid replenishment of the water supply of said cisterns when in service, said connection to be made under the direction and supervision of the San Francisco Fire Department, the City and County to bear the expense of providing suitable gate valves and shut-offs, to wit:

Location—

Dupont and California streets.
 Dupont and Washington streets.
 Dupont and Pacific streets.
 Dupont and Vallejo streets.
 Dupont and Greenwich streets.
 Montgomery and California streets.
 Montgomery and Commercial streets.
 Montgomery and Pacific streets
 Sansome and Pacific streets.
 Stockton and Pacific streets.
 Stockton and Broadway.
 Stockton and Vallejo streets.
 Powell and Broadway.
 First and Folsom streets.
 First and Harrison streets.
 Second and Folsom streets.
 Nineteenth and Folsom streets.

Twenty-second and Sholwell streets.
 Union and Leavenworth streets.
 Fremont and Mission streets.
 Mason and California streets.
 Stockton and Washington streets.
 Railroad avenue and Eleventh avenue South.

Railroad avenue and Fifteenth avenue South.

Refunding Duplicate Payment of Taxes.

On motion of Supervisor McGushin:
 Resolution No. 299 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Auditor and Treasurer be and are hereby directed to audit and pay out of the Duplicate Tax and Overpayment Fund the sum of nineteen and 2-100 (\$19.02) dollars, paid in duplicate by Martha M. Vasquez. The personal property was assessed to Martha M. Cooper in the sum of \$750.00, entered in Real Estate Roll 1905, Vol. 25, Page 25, Block 161, Sub. 12, and also assessed to Mrs. M. Vasquez in the sum of \$1000.00, entered in unsecured roll 1905, Vol. 15, Page 154, Sub. 6.

Refunding Erroneous Payment of Taxes.

Also, Resolution No. 300 (New series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Auditor and Treasurer be and are hereby directed to audit and pay out of the Duplicate Tax and Overpayment Fund the sum of nine and 43-100 (\$9.43) dollars, taxes paid on an erroneous assessment of real estate in the sum of five hundred and seventy-two dollars, and entered in Real Estate Roll 1905, Vol. 6, Block 265. The property was erroneously assessed in the sum of \$4320.00 instead of \$3748.00. The Assessor recommended that this refund be made, the resolution was adopted by the Board and sent to the Auditor with the tax bill prior to the 18th day of April, 1906.

Install Telephone.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas:
 Resolution No. 301 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company be and is hereby requested to install a telephone in the residence of Wm. O'Shaughnessy, Superintendent of the Street Cleaning Department, situate at No. 405 Buchanan street.

Intention to Lease Building for Superior Courts.

Also, Resolution No. 302 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, A request was made to the Board by the Honorable Superior Court of the City and County for a suitable building or apartments for the transaction of judicial business coming before it, and

Whereas, Said Court recommends that the premises situate at the southeast corner of Golden Gate avenue and Hyde street be leased for its purposes, therefore,

Resolved, That it is the intention of this Board to lease the said premises situate at southeast corner of Golden Gate avenue and Hyde street for the sum of one thousand (\$1000) dollars per month, for the term of two years, with an option thereon extending beyond that time for three years.

Amending Awards of Contract for Supplies.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:
 Resolution No. 303 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Resolution of award of contract No. 247 (New Series), be and the same is hereby repealed as to that portion which reads:

To James A. Snook & Co.—Articles of coffee, schedule numbers 125 and 126, and articles of teas numbers 214, 215 and 216 on the schedule, and the same be and are hereby awarded and changed to read as follows:

To James A. Snook & Co. and to Geo. W. Caswell, for the said articles as above, being numbers 125, 126, 214, 215 and 216 in the schedule of yearly supplies at 14 cents and 25 cents per pound, respectively, for tea and coffee as per specification.

The bonds heretofore fixed opposite the names of the above persons in said Resolution No. 247 are hereby amended to read as follows:

Jas. A. Snook & Co., \$500, and Geo. W. Caswell, \$300.

Awarding Contracts for Supplies.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:
 Resolution No. 304 (New Series), Awarding contracts for furnishing and delivering certain supplies and rendering certain services required in the various public institutions and departments of the City and County during the fiscal year 1906-1907, to the following persons, firms and corporations in strict accordance with the specifications prepared therefor and in conformity with their respective bids, to-wit: E. J. Convey, H. Cailleaud, John W. Mahoney, Norman F. Hall, A. J.

Rankin, A. Paladini, V. Simm, J. Olivia, Jas. A. Snook, Hooper & Jennings, Great American Tea Co., Leege & Haskins, Geo. W. Caswell & Co., Bennett Bros., Chas. Brown & Son, Italian Swiss Colony, Levi Strauss, Ryan & Ryan, Geo. E. Wellington, Western Paint, Oil and Glass Co., Barton, Squires & Byrne; Union Oil Co., C. E. Felch, India Alkali Works, Good-year Rubber Co., Redington & Co., H. W. Borte Co., Electrical Appliance Co., I. C. Colgan, H. F. Dugan, Gorham Rubber Co., John Cassaretto, Eugene Dietzgen Co., Hirsch & Kaiser.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.
Relating to Site for Morgue Building.

Motion.

Supervisor Boxton moved that the Coroner, Dr. Wm. J. Walsh, be granted the privilege of the floor.

So ordered.

Privilege of Floor.

Thereupon, the Coroner addressed the Board urging that immediate action be taken to provide land whereon to erect the Morgue building and Coroner's office, stating that he would be satisfied to return to the old site on Dunbar Alley if stable quarters were provided and arrangements made to re-rent the private land formerly used.

Instructions.

Whereupon, the Coroner was instructed to ascertain the cost of the removal of the debris from the old site and to consult with the Chairman of the Public Utilities Committee, Supervisor Boxton, in relation thereto.

Adopted.

Supervisor Coleman moved the suspension of the rules for the introduction of the following Resolution:

So ordered.

Expressing Sympathy with the Chilean Cities of Valparaiso and Santiago Recently Devastated by Earthquake and Fire.

Whereas, The Chilean Cities of Valparaiso and Santiago have been devastated by earthquake and fire, resulting in enormous loss of life and property; therefore, be it

Resolved, That on behalf of the people of the City and County of San Francisco, who have recently experienced a similar disaster, the Board of Supervisors hereby offers its deepest sympathy to the people of these afflicted cities in their hour of distress

and peril, and hold ourselves in readiness to respond to the extent of our ability to furnish assistance to relieve the sufferers of this great calamity.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Coleman, as Resolution No. 305 (New Series).

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 6:30 o'clock, adjourned to meet on Thursday, August 23, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 23, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Thursday, August 23, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent. Supervisor Boxton was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of the meetings of August 8th and August 13th, 1906, were read and approved.

The reading of Journals of subsequent meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Communication: From M. Willard, calling attention to the fact that the electric light at the corner of Spruce and Clay streets has not been burning for the last three months.

To the Joint Committee on Beautification and Adornment and Finance.

Communication: From the Outdoor Art League, requesting that action be taken in the matter of appropriating moneys for the completion of the parking of Dolores street,

To the Fire Committee.

Petition: Of the Burlingame Milk Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 2 horsepower in premises situate No.

769 McAllister, the same to be used in heating water in milk depot.

To the Joint Committee on Fire and Artificial Lights.

Communication: From Union Square Property Owners Association, requesting that the erection of temporary frame buildings be prohibited in the district bounded by Kearny, Sutter, Powell and Market streets, and that permission be granted said association to erect and maintain arc cluster lights around Union Square.

To the Judiciary Committee.

Communication: From N. Y. Plate Glass Insurance Company, with notice of claim in the sum of \$73.00 for the destruction through mob violence on August 18, 1906, of plate glass windows in premises of Weinstoeck, Lubin & Co., N. W. corner of Geary and Fillmore streets.

To the Joint Committee on Judiciary and Finance.

Petition: Of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, of San Francisco, Cal., for the refunding to it of the sum of \$65.00, paid as fee to the Board of Public Works on August 4, 1906, for building permit No. 12,145, which permit cannot be used on account of the disaster which befell this city April 18th last.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Communication: From Wm. J. Kutz submitting offer to lease to City and County for office purposes for a term of from 3 to 5 years at \$90.00 per month ground rental, a lot 23x120 feet deep on south side of McAllister street near Franklin.

From C. S. Capp, agent for Judson Estate Company, submitting an offer to lease to the City and County for a period of 5 years at the rate of \$1.00 per front foot per month, the entire frontage on both sides of Page street from Stanyan to Pierce streets.

To the Joint Committee on Public Utilities and Finance.

Communication: From the Market Street and Eureka Valley Improvement Club, recommending that the City Attorney be directed to take steps to establish the legal titles to all property in the City and County where records have been destroyed and that sufficient money be appropriated for this purpose.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petition: From Fillmore Street Im-

provement Association, to pave with bituminous rock those portions of Fillmore street not bituminized.

To the Joint Committee on Streets, Sewers and Parks and Artificial Lights.

Petition: Of the McAllister Street Improvement Club and numerous property owners, for the repaving of McAllister street from Larkin to Devisadero street with bituminous rock; for the installation of electric arc lights on said street, and for the sweeping and clearing of the same.

To the Joint Committee on Water Rates and Fire.

Communication: From the residents of the district near Cortland avenue, calling attention to the fact that said locality has been deprived of water for domestic purposes and fire protection since the earthquake and requesting that this condition be remedied.

File.

The following matters were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Communication: From Prof. C. D. Marx of the University of California, acknowledging receipt of instructions from Special Committee on Water Supply, in the matter of the acquisition of a municipal water system.

From Major C. H. McKinstry, U. S. A., acknowledging receipt of instructions from Special Committee on Water Supply, in the matter of the acquisition of a municipal water system.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM THE CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Department of Elections, stating that the policies of insurance covering voting machines destroyed by fire in the City Hall were also destroyed in said fire.

To the Joint Committee on Fire and Water Rates.

From the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, with report on the particular locations of proposed cisterns for fire protection.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

From the Sheriff, with requisition for three sections of filing-case boxes

From the Light and Water Inspector, with requisition for one telephone for use in his residence, No. 1646 Alabama street.

From the Board of Education, trans-

mitting offer of M. Burke to sell for the sum of \$26,500.00, a lot 206 feet 3 inches by 150 feet in dimensions, on the S. W. corner Grove and Ashbury streets, for use as a school site.

Also, submitting list of school houses recommended for construction under the bond issue and for which it is deemed expedient to call for competitive architectural plans.

File.

The Report of the Park Commissioners, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1906, was received and ordered placed on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Amending Ocean Shore Railway Co. Franchise.

Bill No. 49, Ordinance No. 44 (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance amending Section 8 of Ordinance No. 1808, 'providing for a grant to the Ocean Shore Railway Company, a railroad corporation, of a right of way for and the right to construct, maintain and operate, a railroad, together with all necessary branches, sidetracks, turn-outs, switches, crossings, spur tracks, yard tracks, depot tracks and terminal tracks and facilities, along, over, under, across and upon certain streets, avenue, alleys, places and properties in the City and County of San Francisco,' approved April 2, 1906."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Authorizing Payment, Water Service.

Resolution No. 306 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1000, to be made out of the Surplus Fund, in payment to Spring Valley Water Company for water supplied for sprinkling streets during months of May and June, 1906, as per agreement and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Authorizing Payment, Maintenance of Minors.

Resolution No. 307 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$672.70, to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to Pajaro Valley

Orphan Asylum, for maintenance of minors committed from Juvenile Detention Home from March 1 to June 30, 1906.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Authorizing Payment, Lumber, Board of Public Works.

Resolution No. 308 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1524.82, to be made out of the Surplus Fund, in payment to Blythe & Trott for lumber supplied the Board of Public Works as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 309 (New Series), Granting Del Monte Milling Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 250 horsepower in premises situate at northeast corner of Lombard and Montgomery streets, the same to be used for operating flour mill.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 310 (New Series), Granting L. and E. Emanuel, Inc., permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain engines and boilers of 200 horsepower in premises situate on Twelfth street, between Mission and Howard streets, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 311 (New Series), Granting Eng-Skell Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 8 horsepower in premises at No. 1538 Valencia street, the same to be used in the process of cooking fruit.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 312 (New Series), Granting Fisk Rubber Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and

maintain a steam boiler of 7 horsepower in premises No. 1036 Golden Gate avenue, the same to be used in the process of repairing rubber tires.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 313 (New Series), Granting H. R. Newbauer permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 35 horsepower in premises designated as being on east line of Seventh street, 175 feet south of Howard, the same to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 314 (New Series), Granting A. B. Stacy permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 5 horsepower in premises situate at No. 729 Clementina street, the same to be used in carpenter shop.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 315 (New Series), Granting the Western Wire Mattress Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 15 horsepower in premises on westerly side of Polk street, between Union and Filbert streets, the same to be used for furnishing power in wire mattress factory.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 316 (New Series), Granting Atlas Brass Works permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank of not more than 1500 gallons' capacity in premises situate at No. 827 Folsom street, the same to be used for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, Mc-

Gushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 317 (New Series), Granting Del Monte Milling Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank of not more than 1500 gallons capacity in premises situate on northeast corner of Lombard and Montgomery streets, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Blasting Permits.

Resolution No. 318 (New Series), Granting The Globe Grain and Milling Company permission to explode blasts for the purpose of grading Chestnut street between Montgomery and Kearny streets.

Provided said Globe Grain and Milling Company shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand dollars as fixed by the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 319 (New Series), Granting The Union Iron Works permission to explode blasts for the purpose of removing a steel and wooden platform in order to erect a new drydock platform.

Provided said Union Iron Works shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Requiring Circus Permits.

Bill No. 51, Ordinance No. 45 (New Series), entitled, "Requiring a permit to be obtained from the Board of Supervisors for conducting a circus."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Amending Building Law, as to Stable Permits.

Bill No. 53, Ordinance No. 46

(New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 320 of Ordinance No. 31 (New Series), entitled, 'Regulating the construction, erection, enlargement, raising, alteration, repair, removal, maintenance, use and height of buildings; regulating character and use of materials in and for buildings, establishing fire limits and repealing all ordinances in conflict with this ordinance,' the provisions of which require permits for public livery and boarding stables, or for stables to accommodate more than six (6) horses, to be granted upon presentation of the written consent of the owners of property within one hundred (100) feet of the proposed stable on each side; provided, that a copy of such written consent be previously filed with the Board of Supervisors, and that buildings for stabling animals above the first or ground floor, unless fire-proof, shall not be erected or altered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Authorizing Payment, Engineering Services.

Resolution No. 320 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1500 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Marsden Manson for services rendered as civil engineer in examining and reporting upon the availability of the sources of water supply offered to the City and County by the Bay Cities Water Company and by the Sierra Water and Power Company.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Authorizing Payment, Patent Chimneys, Almshouse.

Resolution No. 321 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$800 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to L. E. Clawson & Co. for patent chimneys furnished for repairs to Almshouse, as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Authorizing Payment, Lumber, Board of Public Works.

Resolution No. 322 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2001.77

to be made out of the General Fund in payment to J. W. Schouten & Co. for lumber furnished the Board of Works, as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Department of Electricity.

Resolution No. 323 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2205.91 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for supplies furnished the Department of Electricity, viz:

California Electrical Works, electrical supplies	\$236.36
C. W. Marwedel, tools and hardware	680.35
John A. Roebbling's Sons Company, wire	589.20

\$2205.91

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Authorizing Payment, Book Typewriting Machines.

Resolution No. 324 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$6650 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to F. J. Cooper for book typewriting machines furnished, as follows:

16 machines for County Recorder	\$2800.00
14 machines for County Recorder	2450.00
8 machines for County Clerk	1400.00

\$6650.00

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Reducing Width of Howard Street Sidewalks.

Bill No. 54, Ordinance No. 47 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the Width of Sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by amending Section No. 84 thereof," the provisions of which reduce the width of sidewalks on Howard street, between East street and its southerly termination to fifteen (15) feet.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Action Deferred.

The following Bills were taken up and, on motion, laid over one week, to wit:

Relating to Chimney Inspection.

Bill No. 52, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 11 (New Series), entitled, 'Prohibiting the use of chimneys until inspection thereof is made by the Board of Public Works; providing for such inspection and for appointment by said Board of chimney inspectors, and authorizing the issuance of certificates of inspection, fixing the amount of fees and providing for the payment thereof,' by adding a new section to be known as Section 12, and renumbering Section 12 Section 13."

Authorizing Board of Health to Remove Persons Afflicted with Certain Contagious Diseases.

Bill No. 47, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing and empowering the Board of Health of the City and County of San Francisco to remove persons afflicted with certain contagious or infectious diseases."

Presentation of Bills and Accounts.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$11,512.00, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 5569 to 5580 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Com-

mittee.

Report of the Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Walsh, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said demands having been duly approved by the Finance Committee, and

On his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coleman, Furey, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Providing for Construction of Temporary City Hall.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas: Bill No. 58, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the construction of a temporary City Hall and setting aside and dedicating a portion of Western Addition Block No. 73 as a site whereon to construct said building."

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4 o'clock, adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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MONDAY, AUGUST 27, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, August 27, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journal of the meeting of August 16, 1906, was read and approved. The reading of the Journals of subsequent meetings was ordered dispensed with.

Engine and Boiler Permit, Planing Mill, No. 115 Main Street.

Motion.

Supervisor Coleman moved the suspension of the rules for the purpose of granting P. H. McCarthy, President of the Building Trades Council the privilege of the floor.

So ordered.

Privilege of the Floor.

Thereupon, P. H. McCarthy, addressed the Board, requesting that the permit denied W. C. Talbot, at the meeting of August 20, 1906, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler for planing mill purposes at No. 115 Main street, be granted on the ground that the operation of planing mills at this time was essential to the upbuilding of the city and further that the applicant was the first mill owner to unionize his mill and grant an eight hour day and a fair wage schedule.

Reconsideration of Vote.

Supervisor Coleman moved the reconsideration of the vote whereby the Resolution granting W. C. Talbot permission to operate an engine and boiler in planing mill, No. 115 Main street, was lost on final passage.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Final Passage.

Whereupon, the question being taken, said Resolution was finally passed by the following vote as Resolution No. 325 (New Series), Granting W. C. Talbot permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 75 horsepower in premises No. 115 Main street, the same to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

No—Supervisor Sanderson—1.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

Communication — From Henry Stern, with offer to lease for a public morgue, property on the north line of Washington street, opposite the old Hall of Justice, having a frontage of 100 feet on Washington street by a depth of 100 feet to an alley, on a five year lease at \$150.00 per month.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of W. J. Atchinson Milling Co., for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 100 horsepower in premises situate on the northerly line of Nineteenth street, 60 feet westerly from Guerrero street, the same to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Of S. Levi Woodworking Co., for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler for heating purposes in premises situate at No. 446 Sixth street.

Of Gallagher Bros., for permission to store and use crude petroleum in premises No. 3381 Mission street.

Of the Pacific Coast Syrup Manufacturing Co., for permission to store and use crude petroleum in premises situate at No. 713 Sansome street.

Communication—From W. J. Cuthbertson, submitting scheme of fire barriers for protection of city against future conflagrations.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Protest—Of Jno. A. McEwen and numerous property owners and residents in the neighborhood of Seventeenth and Valencia streets, against permission being granted to maintain a stable on Seventeenth street 100 feet east of Valencia street.

To the Judiciary Committee.

Petition—From the Associated Retail Grocers of San Francisco, that the City Attorney be directed to take the necessary steps to determine who are the legal custodians of the Relief Fund.

To the Outside Lands Committee.

Petitions—Of Mary Abram, for a grant of land in Western Addition Block No. 203.

Of F. Kiernan and R. J. O'Brien for a grant of land in Mission Block No. 98.

Of Thos. D. Morris, for a grant of land in Mission Block No. 72.

Of Jas. F. Mooney, for a grant of land in Mission Block No. 26.

Of Chas. J. Tucker, for a grant of land in 100-vara Block No. 318.

Of the Newton Realty Company, Inc., for an amended city deed to a portion of Outside Land Block No. 1090.

Of Lucia Price, for an amended city deed to a portion of Western Addition Block No. 609.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

Communication—From L. K. Slinkey, offering to lease certain property

on Ellis street, between Franklin and Gough streets, for the purpose of housing the Police Courts of San Francisco.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Petition—Of Property Owners, to require the Western Pacific Railroad Company, in connection with its application for a railroad franchise, to file plat of the proposed route from Twenty-fifth and Water Front streets to Ninth and Brannan streets.

Communication—From L. C. Cull, submitting valuation of holdings in Potrero Blocks Nos. 108, 109, lying immediately in rear of the City and County Hospital.

To the Joint Committee on Public Utilities and Finance.

Communication—From Reed & Company, Inc., amending its offer filed July 13, 1906, to construct an overhead boulevard in lower Market street, by agreeing to accept in payment four per cent bonds on an estimated cost of \$5,500,000 for the doing of said work.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petition—Of F. E. Knowles for permission to blast for grading purposes on lot situated on the S. W. corner Potrero avenue and Alameda street.

Protest—Of Helena B. Greniger and numerous other property owners in Western Addition Block No. 291, against changing the grade of Market street as petitioned for by the Market Street and Eureka Valley Improvement Club.

Communication—From the Estes Electric Company, submitting list of prices on street signs for the burnt district.

To the Special Committee on Water Supply.

Communication—From Mary A. Woods, Richmond, Contra Costa County, Cal., offering to sell for water purposes 160 acres of land in Santa Clara County.

To His Honor, the Mayor.

Bonds—Of the Union Iron Works in the sum of \$5000, with United States Fidelity and Guarantee Company as surety thereon, filed in connection with blasting permit at Union Iron Works.

Of the Globe Grain and Milling Company, in the sum of \$5000 with United States Fidelity and Guarantee Company as surety thereon, filed in connection with permit to blast for

grading Chestnut street from Kearny to Montgomery streets.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the ordering of the construction of an 8-inch iron stone pipe sewer with appurtenances in Twenty-second avenue and Lake street.

File.

The following Communications were received, read and ordered placed on file:

From the Chairman of the Municipal Relations Committee of the Public Library Trustees, requesting that the action setting aside a portion of the library site for a temporary City Hall, be reconsidered.

From the Board of Fire Commissioners, stating that it will be impossible to grant at this time the request of the North Central Improvement Club to establish a chemical engine company in the remaining financial portion of the city, on account of lack of funds.

From the Board of Fire Pension Fund Commissioners, with report for the year ending June 30, 1906.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee, by Supervisor Rea, presented a report which was received, read and ordered placed on file.

Report Against Rebuilding Morgue on Former Site.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: The undersigned member of your Honorable Board, appointed a Committee of one to examine the former site of the Morgue and Coroner's office on Dunbar Alley, between Merchant and Washington streets, with the view of using the same for its former purposes, begs leave to report thereon as follows:

The cost of removing the debris from the site and clearing the lot for future construction will approximate the sum of \$20,000.

This in itself is deterrent to the rebuilding of the Morgue on this site at the present time.

Moreover, as the center of population has changed to the westerly and southerly portions of the City and County, it is the opinion of the Coroner, as well as of the undersigned, that the Morgue should be placed within easy reach of the more thickly populated sections.

For these reasons the undersigned recommends that no consideration be given for the present, of the proposition to rebuild the Morgue on its former site, but that some selection be made within a reasonable distance of the center of the populated section.

CHAS. BOXTON.

Read and ordered filed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, **finally** passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows: to wit:

Authorizing Payment, Repaving of Valencia Street.

Resolution No. 326 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$39,689.88 to be made out of the Street Improvement Account Public Building Fund in payment to City Street Improvement Company for labor and material furnished for paving Valencia street from a point 100 feet northerly from Nineteenth street to Mission street, in accordance with Resolution No. 6434 of the Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Authorizing Payment, Rental of Official Quarters.

Resolution No. 327 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1400 to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to Maurice L. Asher for rental of premises Nos. 2511 and 2513 Sacramento street, used by the Assessor, the Tax Collector, the Auditor and the Justices of the Peace, from April 21, 1906, to June 30, 1906, as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Authorizing Payment, Grading School Lot.

Resolution No. 328 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4627.35

to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Frank Simonart for grading school lot at Twentieth and Kentucky streets, as per contract with Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Authorizing Payment Paving Waverly Place.

Resolution No. 329 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2070.88 to be made out of the Street Construction Account of Public Buildings Fund in payment to City Street Improvement Company for paving, etc., for Waverly place, between Sacramento and Clay streets, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Authorizing Payment, Paving California Street.

Resolution No. 330 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$9977.08 to be made out of the Street Construction Account of Public Building Fund in payment to City Street Improvement Company for street work on California street, between Mason and Jones streets, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Authorizing Payment, Printing, County Clerk.

Resolution No. 331 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1359 to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to Phillips & Van Orden for printing for County Clerk's office, as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 332 (New Series), Granting the Fink & Schindler Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 80 horsepower in premises situate on

north side of Thirteenth street, 104 feet west of Howard, the same to be used for milling purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Resolution No. 333 (New Series), Granting S. Levi Woodworking Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 12 horsepower in premises situate at 446 Sixth street, the same to be used for furnishing steam for kiln drying.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Resolution No. 334 (New Series), Granting H. Robbins permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 10 horsepower in premises situate on south line of Tehama street, 250 feet east of Sixth street, the same to be used in a grist mill.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 335 (New Series), Granting Geo. C. Payne permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 1500 gallons in premises situate on Bryant street, between Seventh and Eighth streets, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Resolution No. 336 (New Series), Granting White Star Laundry Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 1500 gallons in premises situate at No. 385 Eighth street, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Blasting Permits.

Resolution No. 337 (New Series), Granting C. A. Blume permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the purpose of removing debris at the northeast corner of Spear and Mission streets.

Provided that C. A. Blume shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$5000, as fixed by the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Resolution No. 338 (New Series), Granting Reed & Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the purpose of removing debris at Nos. 564-568 Sutter street.

Provided said Reed & Company shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$5000, as fixed by the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Bill No. 55, Ordinance No. 48 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the full acceptance of the roadway of Baker street, between Fell and Oak streets, and the roadway of the crossing of I street and Tenth avenue, paved with bituminous rock."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Extension of Time, Street Work.

Resolution No. 339 (New Series), Granting C. S. Harney the following extensions of time to complete street work:

1. Ninety days' time from and after August 12, 1906, to complete the contract for the construction of stone curbs and basalt block pavement on Fourth street from Howard to Freelon streets.

2. Ninety days' time from and after September 1, 1906, to complete the contract for the improvement of H street, between Twentieth and Twenty-eighth avenues, by grading, and the construction of curbs and gutters therein and macadamizing the roadway and sidewalk thereof.

3. Ninety days' time from and after September 1, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of curbs and pavements in Stevenson street from Third to Fourth street.

These extensions are granted for the reason that the contractor will be unable to complete the contract within the time fixed by the Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Resolution No. 340 (New Series), Granting Healy-Tibbitts Company an extension of thirty days' time from and after September 1, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the improvement of the easterly portion of Third street from Berry street to the bridge at Channel street by filling, etc.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Resolution No. 341 (New Series), Granting the Pacific Coast Construction Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after August 14, 1906, within which to complete the construction of sewers in Sixth street from Howard to Brannan street.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that it will be impossible for said contractors to finish said contract within the time, although they are proceeding to do so with due diligence.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Extension of Time, School Construction Contract.

Resolution No. 342 (New Series), Granting P. Quinn an extension of ninety days' time from and after September 1, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of the Laguna Honda School, situated

on Seventh avenue, between I and J streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the recent earthquake caused considerable damage to said building and thus retarded the work.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Loneragan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Amending Ordinance, Providing for Competitive Architectural Plans, Bond Issue Buildings.

Bill No. 57, Ordinance No. 49 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1767, entitled, 'Providing a general plan for the construction of all public buildings to be erected by the City and County of San Francisco from the proceeds of the sales of its municipal bonds issued for such construction, providing for the submission and acceptance of plans for such buildings through general competition open to all certified architects who are citizens of the United States and residents of this City and County, for the appointment of consulting architects and of a general supervising architect for such construction and determining their duties, also providing for the payment of services rendered by such architects and the manner in which expenditures may be authorized from the several accounts constituting the Public Building Fund of the City and County of San Francisco, for the construction of such buildings and for the payment of the cost of construction from such fund,' approved March 12, 1906, by adding a new section, to be known as Section No. 16 'A,'" the provisions of which permit that whenever it shall appear to the board, commission or officer which may have requested the construction of the aforesaid buildings, that it is inexpedient and not for the best interests of the City and County of San Francisco, or impossible to secure such suggestions and designs for plans the Board of Supervisors, on request of such board, commission or officer, shall select and appoint an architect or architects to prepare the necessary suggestions and designs for plans for the construction of the aforesaid buildings, without calling for competitive submissions.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Loneragan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicho-

las, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

RELATING TO APPLICATION OF PRESIDIO AND FERRIES RAILROAD COMPANY TO OPERATE ITS STREET CAR LINES WITH ELECTRICITY.

Bill No. 42, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company to operate all of its several cable, steam and horse railway lines, so far as grades will permit, by electricity by means of the so-called overhead trolley system," heretofore referred to the Judiciary Committee was taken up.

Report of Judiciary Committee.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors, San Francisco.

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Judiciary to which was referred "Bill and Ordinance authorizing and directing the Presidio and Ferries R. R. Co. to operate all of its several cable, steam and horse railway lines, so far as grades will permit, by electricity by means of the so-called trolley system," for investigation as to the validity of all existing rights and privileges heretofore granted said Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company under the respective franchises previously awarded it, respectfully report that a public meeting of your Committee was held to consider said application and oral and documentary evidence including the original grants of franchise were received and examined; also, that Mr. George A. Newhall, President of said Company appeared and testified at said meeting and satisfactorily identified the original grants of franchise; thereupon all matters were submitted and your Committee having carefully examined and considered the same recommend, in favor of the enactment of said Bill and Ordinance, and are of the opinion that the said Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company may lawfully operate for the unexpired portion of the term of said original franchise said Union street railways by the so-called overhead trolley system as provided in said Ordinance.

It is expressly understood and agreed on the part of the Presidio and Ferries R. R. Co., and your Committee further recommends an amendment to said Bill and Ordinance in Section 2 thereof "That all construction work upon said road including the installation of said electrical equipment shall

be commenced within ten days after the final passage of the Ordinance and shall be prosecuted with all possible expedition and without interruption until said cable, steam and horse railway lines and franchises, so far as grades will permit, are completely equipped for electric operation within ninety days from the date of commencement thereof."

Respectfully submitted,
DANIEL G. COLEMAN,
Chairman.

ANDREW M. WILSON,
J. J. FUREY,
J. J. PHILLIPS,
JAMES L. GALLAGHER,
Judiciary Committee.

Read by Clerk.

Amendment of Bill.

Supervisor Coleman moved the adoption of the Report of the Committee and the amendment of Section 2 of the Bill as provided in said Report.

So ordered.

Relating to Transportation of Mail Carriers.

In reply to question of Supervisor Lonergan, George A. Newhall, President of the Presidio and Ferries R. R. Co., stated that mail carriers would be accorded the same transportation privileges on the Union street system as on the other street railroads of the City.

Bill Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, Bill No. 42, as amended, was passed for printing.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$67,086.25, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 5581 to 5729 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting John Finn Metal Works permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 10 horsepower in premises situate at No. 384 Second street, the same to be used in the process of galvanizing metal.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Shermund & Krauss permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 5 horsepower in premises situate at No. 1433 Mission street, the same to be used for the purpose of heating solutions in a plating works.

Oil Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting H. Plath permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 1500 gallons in premises situate at No. 510 Wyoming avenue, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Extension of Time, Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting C. S. Harney an extension of sixty days' time from and after August 24, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of granite curbs and bituminous rock pavement on Alvarado street and San Jose avenue, including the construction of a sewer, manhole and catch-basins thereon.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor will be unable to complete the work within the specified time.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Healy-Tibbitts Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after August 26, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Baker street, between Union and Lewis streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractors will not be able to complete their work within the specified time.

Full Acceptance Jordan Avenue Between Point Lobos Avenue and California Street.

Also, Bill No. 59, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the full acceptance of the roadway of Jordan avenue, between Point Lobos avenue and California street, paved with bituminous rock."

Amending "Building Law" in Relation to Repair of Roofs.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Bill No. 60, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section No. 235 of Ordinance No. 31 (New Series), entitled, 'Regulating the construction, erection, enlargement, raising, alteration, repair, removal, maintenance, use and height of buildings; regulating character and use of materials in and for buildings, and establishing fire limits,' approved July 5, 1906," the provisions of which definitely define the matter of repairing roofs.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Install Telephone.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas:

Resolution No. 343 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company be and is hereby directed to install a telephone at premises No. 1646 Alabama street, for the use of the Gas and Water Inspector.

Refunding De Haro Street Change of Grade Assessment.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:

Resolution No. 344 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Auditor and Treasurer be and they are hereby directed to respectively audit and pay out of the General Fund of the fiscal year 1905-1906 to W. W. Sanderson, agent for Mrs. Wm. J. Dempsey, the sum of seventy-seven and 45-100 (\$77.45) dollars, being a refund of moneys paid the tax collector June 13, 1904, in the matter of the De Haro change of grade assessment, which assessment was subsequently held to be null and void by the Superior Court, in and for the City and County of San Francisco, State of California.

The Tax Collector is hereby requested to cause said sum of \$77.45 to be transferred from his Special Deposit Account in the Treasury to the General

Fund of the City and County for the fiscal year 1905-06.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Question of Personal Privilege.

Supervisor Rea arose to a question of personal privilege and denied in toto the statement recently published in "The Bulletin", that he was causing refuse and dirt to be dumped on the Library Block in the work of grading his private holdings, and in course of his remarks denounced the publisher of that journal as a liar and a scoundrel.

Adopted.

City Engineer File Estimate of Cost of Draining Precita Valley Swamp.

Supervisor Kelly introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration:

So ordered.

Resolved, That the City Engineer be and he is hereby directed to file with the Board of Supervisors, not later than one week from date, an estimate of the cost of draining the swamps lying between Army and Twenty-sixth streets, known as "Precita Swamps", also the cost of constructing a wooden or temporary sewer connecting the York street sewer with the Army street sewer.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Kelly, as Resolution No. 345 (New Series).

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:15 o'clock, adjourned, to meet on Thursday, August 30, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 30, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Thursday, August 30, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxten, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being ab-

sent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journal of the meeting of August 20th, 1906, was read and approved.

The reading of Journals of subsequent meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Education Committee.

Communication—From the Sunnyside Improvement Club, calling attention to the lack of school facilities in the Sunnyside District.

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petition—Of Jas. Murphy, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$7.28, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

To the Finance Committee.

Petitions—Of Mrs. Geo. Hallett, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$9.00, unearned rental from April 18, 1906, of premises forming a part of Library block.

Of Mrs. M. J. Tate, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$30, unearned rental from April 18, 1906, of premises forming a party of the Library block.

Communication—From J. B. Vignau, requesting to be advised when action will be taken in the matter of his petition for refunding of pro rata cf rental of premises on Library site.

Claim—Of S. G. Cox, against the United States of America and the City and County of San Francisco in the sum of \$194.35, for stock of wines and liquors alleged to have been confiscated on the 21st day of April, 1906, from premises No. 1742 Ellis street.

Of G. P. Firpo, against the United States of America and the City and County of San Francisco, in the sum of \$186.75, for stock of wines alleged to have been confiscated on the 19th day of April, 1906, from premises No. 118 Texas street.

Of H. N. Dippe, against the City and County of San Francisco, in the sum of \$672.87, for stock of liquors and groceries, alleged to have been confiscated on the 18th day of April, 1906, from premises situated on the

corner of Fifteenth and Shotwell streets.

Of Chas. Kruchell & Co., against the United States of America and the City and County of San Francisco, in the sum of \$2215.41, for stock of liquors and wines alleged to have been confiscated on the 21st day of April, 1906, from premises situated on the northeast corner of Ellis and Steiner streets.

Of Patrick J. Trant, against the United States of America and the City and County of San Francisco in the sum of \$198.80, for stock of wines and liquors alleged to have been confiscated on the 19th day of April, 1906, in premises situated at No. 168 Mississippi street.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of Mahoney Bros., for permission to store and use crude oil for fuel under boilers in premises situate at Fourteenth and Sanchez streets.

Of O. K. Bakery, for permission to store and use crude oil for fuel under boilers in premises situate No. 1923 Fillmore street.

To the Police Committee.

Petitions—Of Mrs. S. W. Douglas, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$2.50, paid Poundkeeper August 10th, 1906, for the release of one dog, alleged to have been illegally impounded.

Of P. C. G'Dowd, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$4.00, paid the Poundkeeper August 24th, 1906, for the release of one horse, alleged to have been illegally impounded.

Of Albert Waggoner, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$2.60, paid the Poundkeeper on July 24th, 1906, for the release of one dog alleged to have been illegally impounded.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petitions—Of Jas. P. Burke and numerous other property owners, to provide for the repair of Dore street sewer.

Communication—From Julian R. Brandon, calling attention to the defective condition of the sewer on Twenty-seventh avenue, Richmond district, and requesting that said condition be remedied.

To His Honor the Mayor.

Bond—Of Chas. A. Blume, in the sum of \$5000, with the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company as

surety thereon, filed in the matter of his petition to explode blasts for removal of ruins of building situate on Spear and Mission streets.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending that the sum of \$37,500.00 be set aside and appropriated for the removal of debris from engine house lots.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$10,000 be transferred from the fund devoted to payment of cost of additions to the Crocker Grammar School, and applied to the construction of the Laguna Honda School.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$5000 be set aside to provide for the removal of debris from the following streets:

Front street from Market to Filbert.
Eighth street from Market to Brannan.

Howard street from East to Eighth.
Mission street from East to Fifth.
Townsend street from Fourth to Second.

Second street from Townsend to Brannan.

Brannan street from Second to First.

First street from Brannan to Bryant.

Bryant street from First to Main.

Spear street from Bryant to Harrison.

Harrison street from Spear to Steuart.

To the Fire Committee.

From the Grand Jury, submitting report of its Special Fire Committee on methods of fire protection for San Francisco.

To the Printing and Salaries Committee.

From the Chief of Police, with requisition for one Remington typewriter required for use in his office.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending that the sum of \$75,000 be set aside and appropriated out of the proceeds of the sales of Sewer Bonds, to provide for the construction of the main intercepting sewer and

appurtenances for the North Beach District.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$5000 be set aside out of the proceeds of the sale of bonds for the construction of an underground conduit system, on Mission street between Sixth and Ninth streets.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$10,000 be set aside and appropriated out of the proceeds of the sale of sewer bonds for the construction of a storm sewer with appurtenances on Harrison street between Fourth and Sixth streets.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$110,000 be set aside out of the proceeds of the sale of sewer bonds to provide for the construction of the northerly portion of the East Potrero intercepting sewer and appurtenances.

Also, recommending that the width of sidewalks on Sutter streets between Market street and Van Ness avenue, be reduced to twelve (12) feet.

Also, recommending that Flinn & Treacy, be granted an extension of thirty days' time from and after September 3rd, 1906, within which to complete their contract for the improvement of Twenty-sixth street, opposite Fair Oaks streets, and for the improvement of Waller street between Fillmore and Steiner streets.

To the Commissary Department.

From the Sheriff, with requisition for a quantity of insecticide.

File.

A Communication from the Board of Library Trustees, transmitting resolution of said Board determining that it is necessary to construct on the Library block out of the proceeds of the sale of Library bonds, a library building and also transmitting architectural program for the construction of said building, was received, read and ordered placed on file.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Hospital and Health Committee, by Supervisor Lonergan, presented a report, which was received, read and ordered placed on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Providing for Construction of Temporary City Hall.

Bill No. 58, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the construction of a temporary City Hall and setting aside and dedicating a portion of Western Addition Block

No. 73 as a site whereon to construct said building," heretofore passed for printing, was taken up on final passage.

Motion.

Supervisor Boxton moved that the Library Trustees and others interested in the pending measure be granted the privilege of the floor.

So ordered.

Privilege of Floor.

Thereupon, **James D. Phelan**, Public Library Trustee, was granted the privilege of the floor, and was heard at length in opposition to the passage of the bill, stating in part that Western Addition Block No. 73 was under the control of the Library Trustees solely, and not under the jurisdiction of the Board of Supervisors; that the money was available for the construction of the library building, the plans in readiness and that the people looked for the completion of the work.

Dr. E. R. Taylor, Library Trustee, addressed the Board, stating that the electors of the City and County had expressed themselves in favor of purchasing a site and of constructing a library building thereon; that the Board of Supervisors had exercised their privilege of selecting the alternate site and had formally dedicated the same to the Library Trustees, and in conclusion claimed that the property was now beyond the jurisdiction of the Supervisors.

Mrs. J. W. Orr, President of the California Club, objected to the use of the Library site for City Hall purposes on the ground that the building of the library was essential to the education of the youth of the City and that the construction thereof should be proceeded with at once.

Mme. Tojetti, of the California Club, opposed using the Library site for any other purpose than that originally intended.

Final Passage.

Whereupon, the question being taken Bill No. 58, was finally passed as Ordinance No. 50 (New Series), by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Davis, Duffy, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

NEW BUSINESS. (Out of Order).

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Police Department to Inquire Into Authority for Maintenance of Stables.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. 346 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, A number of protests have been filed in this office by residents and property owners against the maintenance of stables in the various residence districts of the city, claiming the same to be a nuisance, unsanitary and a menace to health and property interests and that the greatest number have been established and are now being conducted without regard to the ordinances regulating the establishment and conducting of stables, therefore be it

Resolved, That the attention of the Chief of Police be called to the matter, and the Police Department be and is hereby requested to investigate the authority for the maintenance of all stables now being conducted in the City, and if any should be found to exist without compliance with the ordinances regulating the same, the said department, after service of proper notice, shall cause such stable to be removed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Action Deferred.

Authorizing Board of Health to Remove Persons Afflicted with Certain Contagious Diseases.

Bill No. 47, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing and empowering the Board of Health of the City and County of San Francisco, to remove persons afflicted with certain contagious or infectious diseases," laid over from a prior meeting, was taken up, and

On motion, again laid over one week.

Indefinite Postponement.

Relating to Chimney Inspection.

Bill No. 52, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled "Amending Ordinance No. 11 (New Series), entitled, 'Prohibiting the use of chimneys until inspection thereof is made by the Board of Public Works; providing for such inspection and for appointment by said Board of chimney inspectors,

and authorizing the issuance of certificates of inspection, fixing the amount of fees and providing for the payment thereof," by adding a new section, to be known as Section 12, and renumbering Section 12, 13," laid over from a prior meeting, was taken up, and

On motion of Supervisor Borton, indefinitely postponed.

Presentation of Bills and Accounts.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$22,539.60, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 5741 to 5908, inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of the Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said Demands having been duly approved by the Finance Committee, and

On his motion, said Demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Borton, Davis, Duffy, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Almshouse.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$634.14, to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to James A. Snook & Co. for supplies furnished the Almshouse, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Park.

On motion of Supervisor Furey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$721.14, to be made out of the Park Fund in payment to W. F. Fuller & Co. for paints and oils furnished Park Commissioners, as per bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Fire Department.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1546.47, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for supplies furnished the

San Francisco Fire Department, as follows:

To Pacific Coast Rubber Company, hose	\$800.00
To W. F. Fuller Co., paints.	746.47

\$1546.47

As per contracts and bills rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Grand Jury Expert Service.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$675, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to J. W. Amrath for services rendered as expert to Grand Jury in its investigation of the Relief and Red Cross funds, as per bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Books and Printing.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$5815.85, to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to the following firms for printed blanks, books and supplies furnished the Stationery Department as follows:

To Phillips & Van Orden,	
books	\$2195.25
To Phillips & Van Orden,	
books	723.75
To Phillips & Van Orden,	
blanks	919.50
To Phillips & Van Orden,	
blanks	632.25
To Phillips & Van Orden,	
blanks	755.00
To Moise-Klinkner Co., rubber stamps, etc.	590.10
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	\$5815.85

As per bills rendered.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted.

Providing for Removal of Debris from City Property.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. 347 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of five thousand dollars be and the same is hereby set aside and appropriated out of the Surplus Fund of the fiscal year 1905-1906 for the purpose of continuing the work of removing debris from City property, and in front of City property.

The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and instructed to proceed with the doing of the work here-

inabove specified and to expend said sum therefor.

The attention of the Auditor and Treasurer is hereby called to the provisions of this Resolution.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

Supervisor Boxton introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration:

So ordered.

Requesting Board of Public Works to Provide for Bi-Weekly Payment of Wages of Employees, Street Sweeping Department.

Whereas, There are many men employed in the Street Sweeping Department of this City and County who lost almost everything through the recent disaster, and who are compelled to work for a full month and then wait until long after the first of the month to obtain their salaries, which causes a hardship to them, as the small amount of pay they receive is hardly sufficient to maintain them until their wages are again paid; and

Whereas, It is impossible to secure credit at the present time for necessities of life until laboring men receive their salaries; therefore

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and are hereby respectfully requested, if possible, to make suitable arrangements whereby the men employed in the Street Sweeping Department may receive the amount of wages due for services performed every two weeks.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Boxton, as Resolution No. 348 (New Series).

Relating to Gas Explosions in Sewers.

Supervisor Wilson stated that he had investigated the cause of the recent gas explosions in manholes and had learned that the garages were dumping gasoline into the sewers, which evaporating, formed a highly explosive gas.

Motion.

Supervisor Wilson moved that the

Clerk be directed to notify the Chief of Police to enforce the Ordinance prohibiting the placing of gasoline in sewers.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:45 o'clock, adjourned to meet on Tuesday, September 4, 1906, Monday, September 3, 1906, being a legal holiday.

GEO. B. KEANE,
Clerk.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Tuesday, September 4, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

Supervisor Davis presiding.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present; Supervisors Davis, McGushin, Walsh—3.

No quorum.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, on motion of Supervisor Walsh, the Board adjourned, to meet on Friday, September 7, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE,
Clerk.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, September 7, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

Supervisor Davis presiding.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present: Supervisors Davis, Lonergan, McGushin, Walsh—4.

No quorum.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, on motion of Supervisor Lonergan, the Board adjourned to meet on Tuesday, September 11, 1906, at 2:30 p. m., Monday, September 10, 1906, being a legal holiday.

GEO. B. KEANE,
Clerk.

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TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, September 11, 1906, 2: 30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—13.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of the meetings of August 23, August 27, August 30, September 4 and September 7, 1906, were read and approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Communications—From Röllä V. Watt, Manager of the Royal Insurance Company, calling attention to the fact that it is necessary for the rehabilitation of the financial district that lights be furnished throughout this section.

To the Electricity Committee.

Communications—From Röllä V. Watt, Manager of the Royal Insurance Company, calling attention to the inadequacy of the present system of electrical inspection and requesting the employment of a greater number of inspectors to determine whether or not electrical wiring is done in accordance with city ordinances.

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petitions—Of Georgiana F. Harvey

for the refunding to her of the sum of \$3.56, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

Of Wm. J. Gardner, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$45.72, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

Of Thos. A. Perkins, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$14.22, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

Of J. W. Lynch, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$20.51, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

Of Emma Joseph and Elizabeth C. Lacy, by Shainwald, Buckbee & Co., agents, for the refunding to them of the respective sums of \$81.63 and \$29.20, duplicate payments of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

Of M. Silverman, by G. H. Umben & Co., agents, for the refunding to him of the respective sums of \$34.98 and \$2.81, duplicate payments of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

To the Finance Committee.

Petition—Of Geary Rich, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$10.00, paid to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, as advertising charges on application for a grant of land in Mission Block No. 39, which application was filed on the 9th day of April, 1906, and not acted upon.

Communication—From Frank McGowan, Attorney for Ella M. Goff, owner of property in Western Addition Block No. 73, known as the Library Site, with notice that Mrs. Goff intends to protect her interest in said property against the erection of any building thereon by the municipality.

Claim—Of Ben J. Goldman Co., a corporation, against the City and County of San Francisco, in the sum of \$494.75, for damages alleged to have

been sustained through confiscation of wines and liquors, from premises No. 670 Grove street, on the 19th day of April, 1906.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of Dieckmann & Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 40 horsepower in premises situate on the northerly side of Beach street, between Mason and Taylor streets, the same to be used for generating heat for drying lumber.

Of W. B. Johnson, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 30 horsepower in premises situate on the southerly line of Fifteenth avenue South, between G and F streets South, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Of Jean Pats, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 6 horsepower in premises situate No. 2819½ Mission street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Of the San Francisco Plating Works, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 6 horsepower in premises situate at the N. E. corner of Mission street and Grand avenue, the same to be used in a plating works.

Of Joshey Larne, for permission to store and use crude petroleum in premises situate at No. 26 Hoffman avenue.

Of Chas. Holbrook, for permission to blast for the purpose of removing ruins of building from lots situate on the southerly side of Mission street, between First and Second streets.

Of E. W. McLellan, for permission to blast for building purposes on lot situate on northerly side of Sutter street, 96 feet westerly from the westerly line of Leavenworth street.

Communication—From George Cable Todd, relative to granting a franchise to pump salt water from the ocean to city reservoirs, for fire protection.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Protest—Of Austin Holian and other property owners against the erection of a stable at premises No. 1363 Harrison street.

To the Police Committee.

Petition—Of Ed Turner, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$2.60, fee paid Poundkeeper on August 2, 1906, for the release of one dog alleged to have been illegally impounded.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Protests—Of the Southern Heights Improvement Club, against granting a franchise to the Western Pacific Railroad Company.

Of Chas. Ratto and other property owners against granting a franchise to the Western Pacific Railroad Company.

To the Special Committee on Water Supply.

Communciation—From Wm. Muir, submitting additional statement relative to water supply of the Middle and North Forks of the American River and from Lake Tahoe.

To the Streets, Sawers and Parks Committee.

Petitions—Of the Southern Pacific Company, for permission to lay and maintain a spur track on Beach street from a point 123 feet southerly from the easterly line of Van Ness avenue, running thence westerly along Beach street to a point at the intersection of the center line of Beach street with the westerly line of Lyon street.

Of John Jackson and others, that provision be made for the sprinkling of North Point street, between Van Ness avenue and Leavenworth street.

Of W. J. Pattosien and other property owners and business men, for the sprinkling of Sixteenth street, between Guerrero and Folsom streets.

Of the Hayes Street Improvement Club, for the opening of Masonic avenue from Hayes to Fulton streets.

Communications—From J. W. Roberts, Superintendent of Construction of United States Public Buildings, requesting information regarding the proposed widening of Commercial and of Montgomery streets.

From O. F. Von Rhein, requesting the privilege of a hearing before the proper Board before the assessment district is fixed in the matter of changing grade on Golden Gate avenue west of Taylor street.

To His Honor, the Mayor.

Bond—Of E. W. McLellan in sum of \$5000.00, with the Aetna Indemnity Company of Hartford, Conn., as surety thereon, filed in the matter of petition to blast for building purposes, on Sutter street 96 feet westerly from Leavenworth street.

File.

A petition of Adam Forepaugh-Sells Bros. Circus, for permission to conduct a circus at Mission Park, on dates of September 8, 9 and 10, 1906, was re-

ceived, read and ordered placed on file.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the County Clerk, submitting report of Juvenile Commitments for the month of August, 1906.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending that the sum of \$75,000 be set aside for the construction of fifteen temporary fire department buildings.

Also, recommending that an additional sum of \$10,000 be set aside for the completion of the work of removing debris from Public Buildings and the streets adjacent thereto.

From the Board of Election Commissioners, recommending that the sum of \$5,000 be set aside for the erection of voting booths.

Also, recommending that immediate action be taken to repair department warehouse at 18th and Division streets, in which there is now stored \$97,000 worth of voting machines, partly owned by the city and partly owned by the voting machine company.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

From the Tax Collector, with requisition for a new telephone with two extensions thereon in his office.

To the Special Committee on Water Supply.

From the Board of Advisory Engineers on Water Supply for San Francisco, returning certain papers and data in relation to proposals to furnish a water supply for San Francisco.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of performing the following street work, the expenses thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property.

1. That iron stone pipe sewers and culverts and brick catch basins and a macadamized pavement be constructed on the crossing of Cole street and 27th avenue.

2. That an 8-inch iron stone pipe sewer be constructed on Florida street, between 16th and 17th streets.

3. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the crossing of Guerrero and 22d streets;

On H street, between 7th and 8th avenues;

On 26th street, between Guerrero and Dolores streets;

On Church street, between 14th street and Duboce avenue;

On Webster street, between Harrison and Germania avenue;

On Germania avenue between Webster and Fillmore streets.

4. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on Highland avenue, between Mission street and Holly Park avenue.

5. That an iron stone pipe sewer and appurtenances be constructed on the crossing of M street and Tenth avenue.

6. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on both sides of Eleventh avenue, between J and K streets.

Also, recommending the construction of an iron stone pipe sewer with appurtenances and of a bituminous rock pavement on the crossing of L street and Ninth avenue, and the ordering of the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on both sides of Eighth avenue and Point Lobos avenue and Fulton street.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Second avenue, between California and Lake streets, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending that grades be changed and established at certain points and elevations on Eighteenth avenue, between Clement and Lake streets and on California street between Seventeenth and Nineteenth avenues.

Also, submitting in accordance with Resolution No. 297 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors, an amended recommendation for a change of grades on Golden Gate avenue, between Taylor and Hyde streets.

Also, recommending that grades be changed and established at certain points and elevations on Madison avenue, between its southeasterly termination and the southeasterly line of Harrison street.

Also, recommending the reduction of sidewalk widths on Sutter street between Market and Van Ness avenue to 12 feet.

Also, recommending the repeal of Ordinance No 1809, setting aside a

certain sum for the construction of the main sewer and appurtenances for the North Beach District, and in lieu thereof that the sum of \$75,000.00 be appropriated out of the sale of sewer bonds for the doing of said work.

Also, recommending the repeal of Ordinance No. 1810, setting aside a specific sum for the construction of the northerly portion of the east Potrero intercepting sewer and appurtenances and in lieu thereof that the sum of \$10,000.00 be set aside out of the proceeds of the sale of sewer bonds for the doing of said work.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$5000.00 be fixed as the amount of the bond to be filed by the Globe Grain and Milling company to explode blasts for the purpose of grading Chestnut street, between Montgomery and Kearny streets.

Referred to City Engineer.

A communication from the City Engineer, submitting a report in the matter of the draining of Precita Valley Swamp and the construction of the York street sewer across said swamp was received and read.

Motion.

Supervisor Kelly stated that the City Engineer had failed to fully comply with the request contained in the resolution upon which the report was predicated, and moved that said Engineer be furnished with another copy of said resolution wherein is contained a request that an estimate of cost be furnished of constructing a temporary conduit connecting York and Army street sewers across the swamp.

So ordered.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

AUTHORIZING THE PRESIDIO AND FERRIES RAILROAD COMPANY TO OPERATE ITS STREET CAR LINES WITH ELECTRICITY.

Bill No. 42, Ordinance No. 51 (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Presidio and Feries Railroad Company to operate all of its several cable, steam and horse railway lines, so far as grades will permit, by electricity by means of the so-called overhead trolley system."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey,

Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Loneragan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—13.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 349 (New Series), Granting John Finn Metal Works permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 10 horsepower in premises situate at No. 384 Second street, the same to be used in the process of galvanizing metal.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Loneragan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—13.

Resolution No. 350 (New Series), Granting Shermund & Krauss permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 5 horsepower in premises situate at No. 1433 Mission street, the same to be used for the purpose of heating solutions in a plating works.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Loneragan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—13.

Oil Permit.

Resolution No. 351 (New Series), Granting H. Plath permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 1500 gallons, in premises situate at No. 510 Wyoming avenue, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Loneragan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—13.

Extensions of Time, Street Work.

Resolution No. 352 (New Series), Granting C. S. Harney an extension of sixty days' time from and after August 24, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of granite curbs and bituminous rock pavement on Alvarado street and San Jose avenue, including the construction of a sewer, manhole and catch-basins thereon.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor will be unable to complete the work within the specified time.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Loner-

gan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—13.

Resolution No. 353 (New Series), Granting Healy-Tibbitts Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after August 26, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Baker street, between Union and Lewis streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractors will not be able to complete their work within the specified time.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Loneragan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—13.

Full Acceptance Jordan Avenue Between Point Lobos Avenue and California Street.

Bill No. 59, Ordinance No. 52 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the full acceptance of the roadway of Jordan avenue, between Point Lobos avenue and California street, paved with bituminous rock."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Loneragan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—13.

Amending "Building Law" in Relation to Repair of Roofs.

Bill No. 60, Ordinance No. 53 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section No. 235 of Ordinance No. 31 (New Series), entitled, 'Regulating the construction, erection, enlargement, raising, alteration, repair, removal, maintenance, use and height of buildings; regulating character and use of materials in and for buildings, and establishing fire limits,' approved July 5, 1906," the provisions of which definitely define the matter of repairing roofs.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Loneragan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—13.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Almshouse.

Resolution No. 354 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$634.18, to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to James A. Snook & Co. for supplies furnished the Almshouse, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Loneragan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—13.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Park.

Resolution No. 355 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$721.14, to be made out of the Park Fund in payment to W. F. Fuller & Co. for paints and oils furnished Park Commissioners, as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Loneragan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—13.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Fire Department.

Resolution No. 356 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1546.47, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for supplies furnished the San Francisco Fire Department, as follows:

To Pacific Coast Rubber Company, hose	\$800.00
To W. P. Fuller Co., paints ...	746.47

\$1546.47

As per contracts and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Loneragan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—13.

Authorizing Payment, Grand Jury Expert Service.

Resolution No. 357 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$675, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to J. W. Amrath for services rendered as expert to Grand Jury in its investigation of the Relief and Red Cross funds, as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Loneragan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—13.

Authorizing Payment, Books and Printing

Resolution No. 358 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$5815.85 to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to the following firms for printed blanks, books and supplies furnished the Stationery Department as follows:

To Phillips & Van Orden, books	\$2195.25
To Phillips & Van Orden, books	723.75
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To Phillips & Van Orden, blanks	755.00

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 \$5815.85

As per bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—13.

Passed for Printing.

Authorizing Board of Health to Remove Persons Afflicted with Certain Contagious Diseases.

Bill No. 47, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing and empowering the Board of Health of the City and County of San Francisco to remove persons afflicted with certain contagious or infectious diseases," laid over from a prior meeting, was taken up, and

Passed for printing, Supervisor Kelly voting no.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$24,887.64, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 5914 to 6182 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of the Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and,

On his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—13.

NEW BUSINESS

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Paving Van Ness Avenue.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$28,096.50 to be made out of the Public Building Fund, in payment to Clark & Henry for labor and material furnished for paving, etc., on Van Ness avenue, as per contract with Board of Public Works and bill rendered. Authorizing Payment, China Avenue Sewer.

Also Resolution No. — (New Se-

ries), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1530.20 to be made out of the Public Building Fund in payment to D. J. O'Connor for constructing sewer in China avenue, between Paris and Edinburgh streets, as per contract and bill rendered.

Engine and Boiler Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey: Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting A. B. Maynard permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 5 horsepower in premises situate on the east line of Seventh street, 100 feet southerly from Bryant street, the same to be used for the purpose of furnishing power in a maccaroni factory.

Oil Permits.

Also Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Gallagher Bros. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank, having a capacity not exceeding 400 gallons, in premises situate at No. 3381 Mission street, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boiler in said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Mahoney Bros. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 400 gallons, in premises situate at Fourteenth and Sanchez streets, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting O. K. Bakery permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank of 400 gallons capacity in premises situate at No. 1923 Fillmore street, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum, to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Pacific Coast Syrup Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 2500 gallons in premises situate at No. 715 Sansome street, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum, to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Ordering Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 61, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order the performance of the following work:

1. That the crossing of L street and Ninth avenue be graded to official line and grade and that granite curbs, artificial stone sidewalks, brick cesspools, iron stone pipe culverts, iron stone pipe sewer and a bituminous rock pavement be also constructed on said crossing.

2. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on both sides of Eighth avenue, between Point Lobos avenue and Fulton street.

3. That an 8-inch vitrified, salt-glazed, iron-stone pipe sewer, with appurtenances be constructed along the center line of Twenty-second avenue from a point 150 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lake street to the center line thereof.

Full Acceptance, Second Avenue, Between California and Lake Streets.

Also, Bill No. 62, Ordinance No. — (New Series), "Provided for the full acceptance of the roadway of Second avenue, between California and Lake streets, paved with bituminous rock."

Changing Grades of Certain Streets.

Also, Bill No. 63, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and establishing grades on Washington street and on Cherry street."

Also, Bill No. 64, Ordinance No. — (New Series) entitled, "Changing and establishing grades on Waller street and on Buena Vista avenue."

Also Bill No. 65, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and establishing grades on Pennsylvania avenue, between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets."

Also, Bill No. 66, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and establishing grades on Filbert street, between Buchanan and Webster streets."

Blasting Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting F. E. Knowles permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the purpose of grading the lot on the southwest corner of Potrero avenue and Alameda street.

Provided said F. E. Knowles shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting E. W. McLellan & Co. permission to explode blasts for building purposes on lot situate on the north line of Sutter street, commencing ninety-six feet westerly from the west line of Leavenworth streets.

Provided said E. W. McLellan & Co. shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Install Telephones.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas: Resolution No. 359 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company be and is hereby authorized and requested to install telephones at the following locations:

One telephone in the residence of John J. Boyle, Secretary to His Honor the Mayor, 2011 Vallejo street.

One telephone in the residence of Edward I. Coffey, Chief Clerk of the Board of Health, No. 137 Steiner street.

One telephone in the building now located on school lot on Harrison street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets, which is being used for the Detention Home connected with the Juvenile Court.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Relating to Housing of Members of Fire Department.

Supervisor Lonergan called attention to the urgent need of housing the members of the Fire Department

whose quarters were destroyed by the fire, and in course of his remarks instanced where firemen were sleeping on the wharves without adequate protection from the elements.

Matter referred to the Finance Committee.

Referred.

Supervisor Nicholas introduced the following Resolution:

Providing for Restoration of Police Department to Former Efficiency.

Whereas, It appears through the public press and from records on file in the office of the Chief of Police, that at this time the City is at the mercy of criminally disposed and lawless characters; and,

Whereas, The district devastated by the recent conflagration is without requisite lighting for the protection of our citizens; and,

Whereas, The strength of the Police Department is insufficient to fully perform its duty in suppressing existing vice and protecting life and property; therefore be it

Resolved, That the strength of the Police Department be increased and placed in the same efficiency as existed before the recent fire which befell our City; and be it further

Resolved, That the Finance Committee of this Board be and is hereby requested and instructed to devise ways and means for the appropriation of the necessary funds for the increase of the present strength of the Police Department.

Ordered referred to the Finance Committee.

Referred.

Supervisor Nicholas introduced the following Resolution:

Providing for Restoration of Lighting Service in District Bounded by Fourth, Sixth, Market and Harrison Streets.

Resolved, That the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company be and it is hereby directed to forthwith restore the gas and electric lighting service in the district bounded by Fourth, Sixth, Market and Harrison streets, said district becoming rapidly repopulated and it being a matter of urgent necessity that the lighting service be resumed without delay.

Ordered referred to the Artificial Light Committee.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES—(Out of Order.)

The Public Buildings Committee,

by Supervisor Nicholas, presented a report on the condition of Mission Police Station, and recommended that the sum of \$2,000 be provided for its repair and restoration.

Read and ordered referred to the Finance Committee.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:30 o'clock adjourned to meet on Thursday, September 13, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, September 13, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Kelly, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh—10.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Reading of the Journal of the previous meeting was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Petition—Of Annie Sullivan, for the installation of a street light at Sixteenth avenue and J street, Sunset District.

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petition—Of W. B. Waldron for the refunding to him of the sum of \$3.10, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

To the Finance Committee.

Petitions—Of Chin Kim You, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$8300 forfeited bail money, deposited with the Warrant and Bond Clerk on November 30, 1904.

Of S. D. Thrift, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$18.00, unearned rental subsequent to April

18, 1906, of premises forming a part of the Library site.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of Herbert and Vogel, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and two boilers of 75 horsepower each in premises No. 367 Seventh street, the same to be used in furnishing power for a cooperage and tank building factory.

Of Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company, for permission to blast for removal of ruins of building at Montgomery and Sacramento streets.

To the Police Committee.

Petition—Of Sarah R. Isaacs, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$2.50, fees paid the Poundkeeper for the release of one dog alleged to have been illegally impounded.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petitions—Of Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company, for permission to lay and maintain a spur track on Sixteenth street from a point on said street between De Haro and Carolina streets to a point between De Haro and Rhode Island streets.

Of John Linehan and other property owners, for the opening of Oakwood street between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the treasury amounting to \$17,795.03, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 6190 to 6304 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Kelly, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh

—10.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Herbert & Vogel permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and two boilers of seventy-five (75) horsepower each in premises situate at No. 367 Seventh street, the same to be used for the purpose of providing power for a cooperage and tank-building factory.

Authorizing Payment, Printing of Delinquent Tax List 1905.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4343.76 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the Organized Labor Publishing Company for printing, publishing and distributing the Delinquent Tax List of 1905, as per contract and bill rendered.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Refunding of Poundkeeper's Fees.

On motion of Supervisor Sanderson:

Resolution No. 560 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Auditor and the Treasurer be and they are hereby authorized and directed to respectively audit and pay out of the General Fund to Sarah B. Isaacs the sum of \$2.50, fees paid the Poundkeeper for the release of one dog illegally impounded.

This refund is authorized pursuant to the provisions of Section 13 of Ordinance No. 115 of the Board of Supervisors.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 4 o'clock, adjourned.

GEO B. KEANE, Clerk.

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MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, September 17, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Reading of the Journals of previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

Petition—Of the Metropolitan Iron Works, inc., for the cancellation of its bid for cast iron sewer work for the Board of Public Works on the ground of advanced prices of labor and materials, caused by delay in awarding contract and for the return to it of the certified check if \$5000.00 deposited with said bid.

Communications—From Waiters' Union, Local No. 30, submitting wage scale adopted by said Union.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of Oscar Finke, for permission to erect and maintain a boiler of 10 horsepower in premises situate at Nos. 1908 and 1910 Bryant street, the same to be used in a furniture factory for drying purposes.

Of the Golden Rule Laundry, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 10 horsepower in premises situate No. 567 Grove street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petition—Of M. J. McBrearty & Company, for permission to conduct an undertaking establishment at No. 915 Valencia street.

To the License and Orders Committee.

Petition—Of Hale Bros.; Inc., for the refunding to them of the sum of \$15.00, duplicate payment of wagon license taxes.

To the Police Committee.

Petitions—Of the Lincoln Athletic Club, for permission to conduct an amateur boxing exhibition at Dreamland Skating Rink, Post and Steiner streets, on October 2, 1906.

Of Mrs. Ellis, of 2517 Castro street, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$9.00, fees paid Poundkeeper for the release of cattle alleged to have been illegally impounded.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Communication—From the Ocean Shore Railroad Company, stating in reply to the complaint of the East Mission Improvement Club concerning the condition of Potrero avenue, due to the placing thereon of railway tracks of the said company, that the work of bituminizing the pavement will be proceeded with dispatch.

From the North Central Improvement Association, with report of secretary of said Association on the widening of Montgomery street, sprinkling streets, clearing off debris, improving street car service and kindred matters.

To the Special Committee on Water Supply.

Communication—From Jay E. Russell, submitting supplemental state-

ment in the matter of supplying water and electric power to San Francisco from the American river above Auburn.

File.

The following matters were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Communication—From the State Board of Equalization, notifying that said Board has fixed State Taxes for the 58th fiscal year in the total sum of 47.6 cents, apportioned as follows:

General Fund	24.3 cents.
School Fund	18.8 cents.
State High School	1.5 cents.
Interest on Sinking Fund.	1.00 cent.
For State University.....	2.00 cents.

Communications—From Mary J. Howard and other property owners, consenting to the erection of a stable on the northeasterly line of Tenth street, 300 feet westerly from Bryant street.

Of John J. Bowen and other property owners, consenting to the erection of a stable by the Bellingham Bay Lumber Company on the northeast corner of Francisco and Kearny streets.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received, read and referred as follows:

To the Electricity Committee.

From the Board of Fire Commissioners, submitting report of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department on the urgent necessity of connecting the houses of the department with the fire alarm system by two separate circuits, as existed before the 18th day of April, 1906.

To the Finance Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending that the sum of \$23,901 be set aside and appropriated to meet the increase of wages of the employees of the Street Cleaning Department and other Departments of the Board of Public Works as requested by the Laborers' Protective Union No. 8944.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$1700 be set aside and appropriated to provide for the repair of the warehouse of the Election Commission at Eighteenth and Division streets.

From the Board of Election Commissioners, submitting notice of cancellation of policy for non-payment of insurance premium on voting machines.

From the Department of Electricity, requesting an additional appropriation of \$29,800 to provide for additional expenditures of said Department for

the joker system for the Fire Department: for materials, and for increased salary roll.

To the Joint Committee on Finance and Streets, Sewers and Parks.

From the Board of Public Works, submitting maps and report of City Engineer relative to the widening of Dupont street, between Montgomery avenue and Bush street, and to a winding road in block bounded by Pine, Stockton, Clay and Dupont streets.

Also, submitting report of the City Engineer in the matter of the progress of work on sewers and pavements under the Bond Issue and again requesting that \$1,000,000 worth of sewer bonds and \$500,000 worth of street bonds be sold immediately.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of performing the following street work, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property:

1. That a bituminous rock pavement and stone curbs be constructed on San Jose avenue between Twenty-second and Alvarado streets.

2. That stone curbs, artificial stone sidewalks and abutment rock pavement be constructed on the crossing of Castro and Twenty-third streets.

3. That stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on Filbert street, between Steiner and Baker streets and between Baker and Lyon streets.

4. That an eight inch iron stone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed on Presidio avenue, between Baker street and the southerly termination of said avenue.

5. That stone curbs and a bituminous rock pavement be constructed on Eleventh avenue, between California and Clement streets.

Also, transmitting map of P. A. McDonald's subdivision of part of territory known as West End Map No. 1, showing block and lot subdivisions and lots granted to the City and County for the opening of Leo and Ruth streets from the northwesterly line of Mission street to the southeasterly line of Watson Place;

Also, transmitting Map showing lots to be assessed for curbs and sidewalks at the northeasterly and southeasterly corners of Seventeenth and Stanyan streets;

Also, transmitting Map showing lots to be assessed for curb and sidewalks

at the northeasterly and southeasterly corners of Filbert and Lyon streets.

Also, recommending that Owen McLaugh be granted an extension of ninety days time from and after October 2, 1906, within which to complete his contract for the improvement of Fulton street between Twenty-fifth and Thirty-fifth avenues;

Also, stating that it has fixed the bond for blasting at Potrero avenue and Alameda street, petitioned for by F. E. Knowles, at \$5,000.

From the City Engineer submitting profile map of Golden Gate avenue, between Jones and Leavenworth streets, showing present surface ground, the original change of grade proposed and the compromise grade now recommended.

File.

The following matters were received, read and ordered placed on file:

Communication—From the Chief of Police acknowledging receipt of instructions relative to enforcing the law against dumping gasoline into the sewers and stating that orders have been issued to the several Company Commanders directing them to enforce the ordinance covering this subject.

From the Board of Public Works: Special Contract No. 1 (New Series) Barber Asphalt Company, repaving Ellis street, between Stockton and Larkin streets.

Special Contract No. 2—Barber Asphalt Company, repaving Mission street, between Sixth and Ninth streets.

Special Contract No. 3—Barber Asphalt Company, repaving Turk street, between Mason and Hyde streets.

Special Contract No. 4—J. A. Dowling, sewerage Fourteenth street, between Valencia and Howard streets.

Special Contract No. 5—City Improvement Company, repaving Marshall Square.

Special Contract No. 6—William & Belser, sewerage Vallejo street near Van Ness avenue.

Special Contract No. 7—City Street Improvement Company, sewerage Valencia street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets.

Special Contract No. 8—Barber Asphalt Company, paving Van Ness avenue, between Vallejo and Green streets.

Street Assessment Contract No. 2 of Flinn & Treacy, paving and sewerage

Twentieth street, opposite Fair Oaks street.

Street Assessment Contract No. 3—Flinn and Treacy, artificial stone sidewalks on Waller street, between Fillmore and Steiner streets.

Street Assessment Contract No. 4—Thos. Clarke, artificial stone sidewalks on the crossing of Harrison and Twenty-first streets.

Street Assessment Contract No. 5—Flinn and Treacy, artificial stone sidewalks on Franklin street, between Union and Filbert streets.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee, by Supervisor Rea, presented a report on various matters referred, which report was received, read and adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Intention to Change Grades on Golden Gate Avenue, Between Jones and Leavenworth Streets.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Golden Gate avenue, between Jones and Leavenworth streets, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed July 9, 1906, heretofore referred to the Board of Public Works with the request that said Board submit a recommendation for a uniform change of grade on Golden Gate avenue, between Taylor and Hyde streets, was taken up, together with the recommendation for a modified grade.

Indefinitely Postponed.

Supervisor Nicholas moved the indefinite postponement of the Resolution. So ordered.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$48,711.51, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 6311 to 6975 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred; said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Board of Health.

On motion of Supervisor Furey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1795.50 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to James A. Snook & Co. for seven hundred and ninety-eight barrels of lime furnished the Board of Health during the month of May, 1906, as per bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Building of Board of Public Works.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2500 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to C. E. Loss Company for two-story office building on the gore of City Hall and McAllister streets, as per bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Water and Forage, Park.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2261.24 to be made out of the Park Fund in payment to the following firms for water and forage furnished Park Commissioners:

To Spring Valley Water Company, water, July, 1906 \$836.25
To J. L. Vermeil, forage, July, 1906 \$1,424.99

\$2,261.24

As per contract and bills rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Office Supplies.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1175 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to H. S. Crocker Company for steel cabinet and cards, as per contract No. 7098.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, City and County Hospital.

On motion of Supervisor Furey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$542.38 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to James A. Snook & Co. for merchandise furnished City and County Hospital during month of July, 1906, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Fire Department.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4723.64 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for hydrants, forage, etc., furnished the San Francisco Fire Department:
To Risdon Iron Works, hydrants \$2,250.00
To Scott & Magner, forage.... 1,407.46
To James A. Snook & Co., forage 1,066.18

\$4,723.64

As per contracts and bills rendered.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4228.87 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for materials and forage furnished the San Francisco Fire Department, as follows:

To Mary E. Gorber, materials. \$600.00
To Somers & Co., hay..... 1,634.60
To Scott & Magner, straw 1,994.27

\$4,228.87

As per contracts and bills rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Printing and Stationery Supplies.

On motion of Supervisor Coffey:

Resolution No — (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$11,508.25 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for printing and supplies furnished the stationery department, as follows:

To Phillips & Van Orden,
books \$ 1,712.50
To Phillips & Van Orden,
blanks 3,839.00
To Phillips & Van Orden,
tax bills 1,472.00
To Phillips & Van Orden,
books 977.00
To Phillips & Van Orden
books 755.25
To Yawman & Erbe, indexes 2,025.00
To Brown & Power, printing 727.50

\$11,508.25

As per contracts and bills rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Maintenance of Mirrors.

On motion of Supervisor Sanderson:

Resolution No. — (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$2,832.69 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following named for maintenance and tuition of minors committed to the Preston School of Industry and St. Vincent's Asylum, for

the months of July and August, 1906, as follows:

10 State of California, July 1906	\$ 758.58
To State of California, August 1906	761.14
To Brother Xenophon, July 1906	640.00
10 Brotner Xenophon, August 1906	672.97
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	\$2,832.69

As per bills rendered.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series), granting Dieckmann & Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 40 horse-power in premises situate on the north side of Beach street, between Mason and Taylor streets, the same to be used for generating heat for drying lumber.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), granting W. P. Johnson Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 30 horse-power in premises situate on the southerly line of Sixteenth avenue South, between G street South and F street South, the same to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), granting San Francisco Plating Works permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 6 horse-power in premises situate at northeast corner of Mission street and Grand avenue, the same to be used for furnishing power for plating works.

Oil Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), granting Joshey Lame permission during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 300 gallons in premises situate at No. 26 Hoff avenue, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boiler in said premises.

Blasting Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), granting Charles Holbrook permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the removal of ruins from lot situate on south side of Mission street, between First and Second streets.

Provided that said Charles Holbrook shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), granting The Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the purpose of removing the ruins of the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company building, corner of Sacramento and Montgomery streets.

Provided said Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

State Tax Levy, 1906-7.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Bill No. 67, Ordinance No. — (New Series), as follows:

Providing Revenue for State purposes for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1907.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Under and in pursuance of the Political Code and of the Statutes of the State of California, and in conformity thereto, and in pursuance of the action of the State Board of Equalization, and in conformity thereto, there is hereby levied a tax for State purposes for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1907, on all property, both real and personal, in the City and County of San Francisco, except such other property as is by law exempt from taxation, the sum of forty-seven cents six mills (\$.476) on each one hundred (\$100.00) dollars valuation of said taxable property upon the assessment roll of said fiscal year, which said sum of forty-seven cents six mills (\$.476) on each one hundred (\$100.00) dollars valuation, as aforesaid, is apportioned to the funds and accounts known and designated as follows:

For the General Fund.....	24.3 cents
For the School Fund.....	18.8 cents
For the State High School Fund	1.5 cents
For the Interest and Sinking Fund	1.0 cent
For the support of the	

University of California.. 2.0 cents

Total rate of State Tax.. 47.6 cents

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

RAILWAY TRACK MILEAGE AND ASSESSED VALUES.

Southern Pacific Railroad Company.

Also, Bill No. 68, Ordinance No. — (New Series), as follows:

Declaring the length of the main track and the assessed value of the railway of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company in the City and County for the year 1906.

Whereas, Pursuant to Section 3665 of the Political Code, this Board is required to pass an order stating and declaring the length of the main track and the assessed value of each railway in this City and County as fixed by the State Board of Equalization; and

Whereas, The Auditor of this City and County has transmitted to this Board on the 17th day of September, 1906, a copy of the statement made by and received from the State Board of Equalization fixing the assessment of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, which recites that:

The State Board of Equalization, on the 6th day of August, 1906, assessed for the year 1906 the Southern Pacific Railroad Company for its franchise, roadway, roadbed, rails and rolling stock in the State of California in the aggregate sum of \$38,701,847.

The entire length of the main track of railway of said company in the said State is 2380.16 miles.

The length of the main track of said railway in the City and County of San Francisco is 7.36 miles.

The assessed value per mile of said railway, as fixed by a pro rata distribution per mile of the assessed of the whole franchise, roadway, roadbed, rails and rolling stock of such railway of the said company within the State, according to said assessment of said State Board, is \$16,260.19.

The apportionment of the assessment of the said franchise, roadway, roadbed, rails and rolling stock by said Board for and to the City and County of San Francisco is, according to the assessment of said State Board, \$119,675; now therefore

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby expressly

stated and declared that the length of the main track of the railway of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company in this City and County is 7.36 miles, and that the assessed value of the railway of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company in the City and County for the year 1906 is, according to said assessment of said State Board, \$119,675.

Section 2. The Clerk is hereby directed to cause this order to be entered upon the minutes of this Board.

Central Pacific Railway Company.

Also, Bill No. 69, Ordinance No. — (New Series), as follows:

Declaring the length of the main track and the assessed value of the railway of the Central Pacific Railway Company in the City and County for the year 1906.

Whereas, Pursuant to Section 3665 of the Political Code, this Board is required to pass an order stating and declaring the length of the main track and the assessed value of each railway in this City and County as fixed by the State Board of Equalization; and

Whereas, The Auditor of this City and County has transmitted to this Board on the 17th day of September, 1906, a copy of the statement made by and received from the State Board of Equalization fixing the assessment of the Central Pacific Railway Company, which recites that:

The State Board of Equalization, on the 6th day of August, 1906, assessed for the year 1906 the Central Pacific Railway Company for its franchise, roadway, roadbed, rails and rolling stock in the State of California in the aggregate sum of \$15,000,000.

The entire length of the main track of railway of said company in the said State is 746 miles.

The length of the main track of said railway in the City and County of San Francisco is 2.46 miles.

The assessed value per mile of said railway, as fixed by a pro rata distribution per mile of the assessed of the whole franchise, roadway, roadbed, rails and rolling stock of such railway of the said company within the State, according to said assessment of said State Board, is \$20,103.74.

The apportionment of the assessment of the said franchise, roadway, roadbed, rails and rolling stock by said Board for and to the City and County of San Francisco is, according to the assessment of said State Board, \$49,455; now therefore

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby expressly stated and declared that the length of the main track of the railway of the Central Pacific Railway Company in this City and County is 2.43 miles, and that the assessed value of the railway of the Central Pacific Railway Company in the City and County for the year 1906 is, according to said assessment of said State Board, \$49,455.

Section 2. The Clerk is hereby directed to cause this order to be entered upon the minutes of this Board.

Pullman Company.

Also, Bill No. 70, Ordinance No. — (New Series), as follows:

Declaring the length of the main track and the assessed value of the railway of the Pullman Company in the City and County for the year 1906.

Whereas, Pursuant to Section 3665 of the Political Code, this Board is required to pass an order stating and declaring the length of the main track and the assessed value of each railway in this City and County as fixed by the State Board of Equalization; and

Whereas, The Auditor of this City and County has transmitted to this Board on the 17th day of September, 1906, a copy of the statement made by and received from the State Board of Equalization fixing the assessment of the Pullman Company, which recites that:

The State Board of Equalization, on the 6th day of August, 1906, assessed for the year 1906, the Pullman Company for its franchise, roadway, roadbed, rails and rolling stock in the State of California in the aggregate sum of \$800,000.

The entire length of the main track of railway of said company in the said State is 3077.426 miles.

The length of the main track of said railway in the City and County of San Francisco is 7.36 miles.

The assessed value per mile of said railway as fixed by a pro rata distribution per mile of the assessed of the whole franchise, roadway, roadbed, rails and rolling stock of such railway of the said Company within the State, according to said assessment of said State Board, is \$194.97.

The apportionment of the assessment of the said franchise, roadway, roadbed, rails and rolling stock by said Board for and to the City and County of San

Francisco is, according to the assessment of said State Board, \$1435; now therefore

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby expressly stated and declared that the length of the main track of the railway of the Pullman Company in this City and County is 7.36 miles, and that the assessed value of the railway of the Pullman Company in the City and County for the year 1906 is, according to said assessment of said State Board, \$1435.

Section 2. The Clerk is hereby directed to cause this order to be entered upon the minutes of this Board.

Relating to Payment of Liquor Licenses.

On motion of Supervisor McGushin:

Bill No. 71, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled "Amending Section No. 1 of Ordinance No. 29 (New Series), entitled "Imposing a license on liquor dealers," the provisions of which prescribe that every person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of selling spiritous or malt, or fermented, liquors or wines shall pay a license of five hundred dollars (\$500) per annum, payable in quarterly installments of one hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$125), said installments to date from time the license is issued.

Relating to Numbering of Buildings.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 72, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 349, relating to method of numbering buildings between main streets, of Ordinance No. 31 (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the construction, erection, enlargement, raising, alteration, repair, removal, maintenance, use and height of buildings; regulating character and use of materials in and for buildings; establishing fire limits, and repealing all ordinances in conflict with this ordinance."

Also, Bill No. 73, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades at certain points and elevations on Madison avenue between its southeasterly termination and the southeasterly line of Harrison street."

Authorizing Payment, Construction, Laguna Honda School.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. — (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$24,000 to be made out of the Public Building

Fund in payment to P. P. Quinn for labor and material furnished for the construction of the Laguna Honda School, as per compromise agreement under the provisions of resolution of Board of Education.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Providing for Construction of Sewer in Eighth Street Between Bryant and Brannan Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. 361 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works (filed August 18, 1906), the following amount be and the same is hereby set aside and appropriated out of the proceeds of the sale of bonds of the City and County of San Francisco for the purpose hereinafter specified, to wit:

For the construction of a sewer in Eighth street, between Bryant and Brannan streets\$2000.00

Intention to Change Grades on Certain Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. 362 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Eighteenth avenue, between Clement and Lake street, and on California street, between Seventeenth and Nineteenth avenues, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed September 6, 1906, and directing said Board to determine the district to be assessed for benefits and to make an estimate of the cost of making said changes of grade, including an estimate of the damages which may result therefrom or be caused thereby.

Also, Resolution No. 363 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Parnassus avenue, between Willard street and First avenue, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed July 28, 1906, and directing said Board to determine the district to be assessed for benefits and to make an estimate of the cost of making said changes of grade, including an estimate of the damages which may result therefrom or be caused thereby.

Also, Resolution No. 364 (New Ser-

ies). Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Montgomery avenue, on North Point street and on Leavenworth street, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed July 28, 1906, and directing said Board to determine the districts to be assessed for benefits and to make an estimate of the cost of making said changes of grade, including an estimate of the damages which may result therefrom or be caused thereby.

Undertaker's Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Furey:

Resolution No. 365 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to M. J. McBrearty & Co. to establish and maintain an undertaking parlor at premises No. 915 Valencia street.

Install Telephones.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas:

Resolution No. 366 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company be and is hereby authorized and directed to install a telephone in the office of the chief deputy of the Tax Collector, No. 571 McAllister street, and to connect two extension telephones thereto, one leading to the License Department of the Tax Collector's office and the other to the cashier's department.

Referred.

Fixing Price for City Teams at \$6.00 Per Day.

Supervisor Nicholas introduced the following Resolution, which was on his motion ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Finance and Public Buildings:

Whereas, The cost of stabling and care of horses has increased throughout the City as well as the increase in wages of teamsters and drivers; therefore be it

Resolved, That the present price per day paid by the City for the employment of single teams doing the City work under the supervision of the Board of Public Works be and the same is hereby increased and fixed in the sum of six (\$6) dollars per day.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Referred.

Board of Health Require Inundated Lots and Basements to be Drained.

Supervisor Nicholas introduced the

following Resolution, which was, on his motion, ordered referred to the Hospital and Health Committee:

Whereas, In many of the lots and basements of the "Burnt District" stagnant water is rapidly accumulating, which condition is a serious menace to public health and constitutes a public nuisance, and

Whereas, Many of the owners of said lots and basements show no inclination to remedy, by pumping or draining, the conditions existing; now therefore, be it

Resolved, That the attention of the Board of Health be and is hereby called to these existing nuisances and said Board is hereby requested to serve upon the owners of said lots and basements, a notice directing them to forthwith cause their property to be properly drained and placed in a sanitary condition.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 4:10 o'clock adjourned to meet on Thursday, September 20, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Thursday, September 20, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of the meetings of September 11th, 13th and 17th, 1906, were read and approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Petition—Of G. O. Comstock and other property owners for the installation of an electric arc light on the corner of Plymouth street and Ocean avenue.

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petition—Of W. M. Bowers, agent

for Elizabeth Rickard, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$32.75, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

To the Finance Committee.

Petition—Of a Committee of Public School Teachers, for a hearing in the matter of the proposed reduction of school teachers' salaries.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of the California Doughnut and Cruller Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 15 horsepower in premises at Eighteenth and Guerrero streets, the same to be used for operating machinery in a bakery.

Of the Korbel Box Factory, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler in premises No. 2014 Bryant street, the same to be used for drying and heating wood.

Of the California Doughnut and Cruller Company, for permission to store and use petroleum in premises situate at Eighteenth and Guerrero streets.

Of the Lane Hospital, for permission to store and use crude petroleum in premises situate at the corner of California and Webster streets.

Of Modern Bakery, for permission to store and use crude petroleum in premises situate No. 2581 Twentieth street.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Communication—From Paul Kleiber and others, recommending that W. R. Harrison be granted permission to build a wooden frame stable at premises known as Nos 312-314 Eleventh street.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Protest—Of Mrs. Eliza Schultze and other property owners, against granting a franchise to the Western Pacific Railroad Company.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petitions—Of E. H. Black and other property owners, for the opening of Rondel street through to Seventeenth street.

Of Bemis Bros. Bag Company, for permission to construct and maintain a spur track from their property on the northeast corner of Green and Sansome streets, along Green street to the Belt Line Railroad.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from

City and County officers were received, read and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Auditor, submitting Financial Report for the year 1906 of the City and County of San Francisco.

From the Board of Education, recommending that the Board of Public Works be directed to prepare plans for the erection of all school houses provided for in the bond issue and that frame buildings be constructed wherever the law does not forbid.

To the Judiciary Committee.

From the City Attorney with copy of opinion rendered Board of Police Commissioners in the matter of the title to South Park, with particular reference to provisions in grant or deed, respecting the establishment of saloons on streets lying adjacent to said park.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Finance Committee by Supervisor Gallagher, presented a report on various matters referred, which report was received, read and adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Board of Health to Remove Persons Afflicted with Certain Contagious Diseases.

Bill No. 47, Ordinance No. 54 (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing and empowering the Board of Health of the City and County of San Francisco to remove persons afflicted with certain contagious or infectious diseases."

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Authorizing Payment, Paving Van Ness Avenue.

Resolution No. 367 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$28,096.50 to be made out of the Public Building Fund, in payment to Clark & Henry for labor and material furnished for paving, etc., on Van Ness avenue, as per contract with Board of Public Works and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Authorizing Payment, China Avenue Sewer.

Resolution No. 368 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1530.20 to be made out of the Public Building

Fund in payment to D. J. O'Connor for constructing sewer in China avenue, between Paris and Edinburgh streets, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Engine and Boiler Permit.

Resolution No. 369 (New Series), Granting A. B. Maynard permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 5 horsepower in premises situate on the east line of Seventh street, 100 feet southerly from Bryant street, the same to be used for the purpose of furnishing power in a macaroni factory.

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 370 (New Series), Granting Gallagher Bros. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 400 gallons, in premises situate at No. 3381 Mission street, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boiler in said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Resolution No. 371 (New Series), Granting Mahoney Bros. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 400 gallons, in premises situate at Fourteenth and Sanchez streets, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used under boilers on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Resolution No. 372 (New Series), Granting O. K. Bakery permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank of 400 gallons capacity in premises situate at No. 1923 Fillmore street, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum, to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Resolution No. 373 (New Series), Granting the Pacific Coast Syrup Company permission, during the pleasure

of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 2500 gallons in premises situate at No. 715 Sansome street, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum, to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 61, Ordinance No. 55 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order the performance of the following work:

1. That the crossing of L street and Ninth avenue be graded to official line and grade and that granite curbs, artificial stone sidewalks, brick cess-pools, ironstone pipe culverts, ironstone pipe sewer and a bituminous rock pavement be also constructed on said crossing.

2. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on both sides of Eighth avenue, between Point Lobos avenue and Fulton street.

3. That an 8-inch vitrified, salt-glazed ironstone pipe sewer, with appurtenances be constructed along the center line of Twenty-second avenue from a point 150 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lake street to the center line thereof.

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Full Acceptance, Second Avenue, Between California and Lake Streets.

Bill No. 62, Ordinance No. 56 (New Series), "Providing for the full acceptance of the roadway of Second avenue, between California and Lake streets, paved with bituminous rock."

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Changing Grades of Certain Streets.

Bill No. 63, Ordinance No. 57 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and establishing grades on Washington street and on Cherry street."

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Bill No. 64, Ordinance No. 58 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and establishing grades on Waller street and on Buena Vista avenue."

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Bill No. 65, Ordinance No. 59 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and establishing grades on Pennsylvania avenue, between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Bill No. 66, Ordinance No. 60 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and establishing grades on Filbert street, between Buchanan and Webster streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Blasting Permits.

Resolution No. 374 (New Series), Granting F. E. Knowles permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the purpose of grading the lot on the southwest corner of Potrero avenue and Alameda street.

Provided said F. E. Knowles shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Resolution No. 375 (New Series), Granting E. W. McLellan & Co. permission to explode blasts for building purposes on lot situate on the north line of Sutter street, commencing ninety-six feet westerly from the west line of Leavenworth street.

Provided said E. W. McLellan & Co. shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Engine and Boiler Permit.

Resolution No. 376 (New Series), Granting Herbert & Vogel permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and two boilers of seventy-five (75) horsepower each in premises situate at No. 36, Seventh street, the same to be used for the purpose of providing power for a cooperage and tank-building factory.

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman,

Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—10.

Authorizing Payment, Printing of Delinquent Tax List 1905.

Resolution No. 377 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4343.76 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the Organized Labor Publishing Company for printing, publishing and distributing the Delinquent Tax List of 1905, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—10.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$47,872.55, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 6981 to 7024 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Reports of the Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and,

On his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, McGushin, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—10.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following Bill was passed for printing:

Amending "Building Law," in Relation to Covering of Roofs.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Bill No. 74, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance amending Sections 5, 102 and 235, relating to the covering of roofs, of Ordinance No. 31 (New Series), entitled, 'Regulating the construction, erection, enlargement, raising, altera-

tion, repair, removal, maintenance, use and height of buildings; regulating character and use of materials in and for buildings; establishing fire limits, and repealing all Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance,' approved July 5, 1906, and repealing Ordinance No. 53 (New Series), approved September 14, 1906."

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Fixing Amount of Police Relief and Pension Fund 1906-7.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:

Resolution No. 378 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Police Relief and Pension Fund for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1906, be and the same is hereby fixed, appropriated and allowed at the minimum amounts and rates permitted by Section 11, Chapter X of Article VIII of the Charter. The attention of the Auditor and of the Treasurer is hereby called to the provisions of this Resolution and said officials are hereby directed to credit said fund accordingly.

Refunding Fee, Building Permit.

Also, Resolution No. 379 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Auditor and Treasurer be and they are hereby authorized and directed to respectively audit and pay to S. E. Bradshaw, president of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, the sum of \$65.00, said amount being fee paid for building permit for the erection of a brick and stone building which was intended to be erected prior to the recent disaster, but the building of which was abandoned subsequent thereto.

ADJOURNMENT.

Ther being no further business, the Board at the hour of 3:30 o'clock adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, September 24, 1906, at 2:30 p. m. The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journal of the meeting of September 20, 1906, was read and approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Petition—Of Berger-Carter Company, for the installation of an electric light at the corner of Mississippi and Seventeenth streets.

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petition—Of J. A. Fincher, secretary of the State Agricultural Society, requesting to be advised whether or not a statistician has been appointed for San Francisco, as required by an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, approved March 20, 1906.

From the Adjutant General of the State of California, with reference to the compilation of the Military Roll and stating that said Roll for San Francisco County has not been received by him.

Of Kurado, for the refunding to

him of the sum of \$14.00, unearned rental of premises Nos. 17 and 19 St. Mary's street, for the month of April, 1906.

Of the Ambulance Drivers of the San Francisco Health Department, for an increase of wages from \$75.00 to \$90.00 per month.

Of the Stewards of the Emergency Hospitals, for an increase in salary from \$70.00 per month to \$90.00 per month.

Communication—From Madison Babcock, Secretary of Committee of Teachers, appointed to consult the Board of Supervisors in the matter of an alleged reduction in salaries, stating that the address of said Committee is Room 7, St. Mungo Building.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of Henry Rhine, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 15-horsepower in premises situate on the northeast corner of Nineteenth and Bryant streets, the same to be used in a candy factory.

Of Kohs and Company Bakery, for permission to store and use crude petroleum in premises situate on the northeast corner of Twenty-fifth and Mission streets.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Protest—Of I. Zellerbach and other property owners in the immediate neighborhood of the block bounded by Larkin, California, Polk and Sacramento streets, against the construction of a stable by one Edward Anglin on lot situate on the west line of Larkin street, 87 feet north of California street.

Communications—From Jas. Slogan and other property owners, consenting to the erection and maintenance of a stable by one M. L. Joseph, on the south side of Duboce

avenue, 83 feet east of Valencia street.

From the California School of Mechanical Arts, consenting to the erection and maintenance of a stable by the Pacific Teaming Company, on a portion of Potrero Block No. 65, bounded by Potrero Avenue, Sixteenth, Seventeenth and Hampshire streets.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Petitions—Of Chas. A. Nelson, to investigate the street car service of the United Railroads on its Kentucky street line, with the purpose in view of compelling a continuance of the service from Eighth and Market streets to Sixteenth and Railroad avenues, South.

Of the Drivers of the Health Department Ambulances, for the privilege of free street car transportation to and from their duties.

Protest—Of John Ryan and other owners of property on Iowa street near Twenty-fifth street, against granting a franchise to the Western Pacific Railroad Company.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Communication—From the East Mission Improvement Club, again calling attention to the condition of Potrero avenue, caused by the Ocean Shore Railroad Company failing to repave the spaces between the rails in the matter of the construction of their tracks, along said avenue.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From His Honor the Mayor, recommending the appointment by the County Clerk of six additional Clerks.

From the Board of Health, recommending that the sum of \$6,000.00 be provided for the equipment of the chemical and bacteriological laboratories of said department.

From the District Attorney recommending that a warrant be drawn on the treasury, in favor of Assistant District Attorney Wm. Hoff Cook, for his necessary expenses in attending the United States Supreme Court in the matter of the case of Geo. D. Collins.

From the Sheriff, with requisition for four large horses, required for van service.

To the Joint Committee on Fire and Education.

From the Board of Education, recommending that supervisorial sanction be given the action of the Board of Fire Commissioners in re-transferring to the Department of Education a lot situate on the westerly line of San Bruno avenue 125 feet south of Twenty-fifth street, thence south 50 feet, thence west 200 feet to Utah street, thence north 100 feet, thence east 100 feet, thence south 50 feet, thence east 100 feet to the point of beginning.

To the Joint Committee on Printing and Salaries and Finance.

From the Stationery Department of the Board of Supervisors, with report for the months of July and August, 1906.

File.

A Communication from the Coroner transmitting copy of verdict of jury rendered in the case of Sol. Loeb, killed in a street railway accident on Fillmore street, September 19th, 1906, was received, read and ordered placed on file.

MESSAGE FROM MAYOR.

Recommending the Overhead Trolley System for the Geary Street Railroad.

San Francisco, California, September 24, 1906.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, California.

Gentlemen: Prior to the earthquake-fire of April 18-19-20, 1906, your Board entered into a contract with C. E. Loss for the construction of the Geary street railroad as a municipally owned and operated electrical street railway system, with underground conduits.

Since the fire, conditions have so changed in San Francisco that other lines have been granted the use of the over-head trolley system in order to expedite the construction and facilitate the transportation of passengers. Under the conditions which exist in the City, it is clearly apparent that the underground system is not that which is best adapted for the present uses and requirements, and I therefore recommend that the plans for the reconstruction of the Geary street railroad be so amended as to provide for a modern, up-to-date overhead trolley system, and that proceedings be taken to take possession of the Geary street line and reconstruct the same for the City as a modern overhead trolley system.

The cost of construction and of the operation of such a road would be far

less than under the former plans and the work of construction more rapid.

E. E. SCHMITZ,

Mayor.

Read and ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Finance and Public Utilities.

Recommending That Permission Be Granted to Owners of Property Within the Fire Limits to Rebuild Dwellings of Frame Construction.

San Francisco, California, September 24, 1906.

To the Honorable Board of Public Works, and the Honorable Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen: A large number of our people are debarred from reconstructing their dwellings and homes by reason of the fact that the fire limits cover their property. It is especially desirable that our people, especially those of limited means, should be encouraged to re-establish their homes which they cannot do if they are to use the materials required by the Building Law in fire limits. Unfortunately under conditions which exist in San Francisco today, the fire limits cannot be reduced in extent on account of Quarter provisions forbidding such reduction. This seems to me, however, to be a case where the strict letter of the law ought not to be enforced, and I therefore recommend to you that permits be issued for the erection of frame buildings in any part of the City which are to be used for residences and dwelling purposes only and are to be erected by those applying for permits upon land owned by and belonging to themselves. Such permits not to be issued to lessees of land who contemplate the erection of such buildings merely for speculative purposes, but only to bona fide home dwellers for the erection of homes and dwellings upon their own property.

E. E. SCHMITZ,

Mayor.

Read and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Report of Special Committee on Water Supply, Recommending Selection of Bay Cities Water Company's Supply for Examination as to its Availability to Furnish San Francisco With a Pure and Wholesome Supply of Fresh Water.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

Your special committee on water supply begs leave to report as follows:

Realizing the imperative need of an adequate municipal water supply which has existed in this City for

many years, and its great importance to the development and protection of the City the Board of Supervisors on March 12, 1906, passed Resolution No. 7130 calling for submission of proposals for a municipal water supply capable of supplying for the immediate use of the City 60,000,000 gallons per day, with a demonstrated possibility of eventually supplying not less than 200,000,000 gallons per day with detailed conditions of requirements as in said resolution set forth.

After due advertisement of said resolution, there were submitted to your Board on April 9, 1906, thirteen proposals for water supplies in more or less comprehensive form. These were under consideration of the Board when the great earthquake-fire of April 18, 19 and 20, 1906, destroyed our records, and with them all of the proposals referred to.

The disaster which destroyed these proposals also greatly damaged and destroyed parts of the water system owned by the Spring Valley Water Company which supplied probably 95 per cent of the fresh water used for domestic and industrial purposes in San Francisco.

At the time of the occurrence of the earthquake-fire the supply of the Spring Valley Water Company to the City was in the neighborhood of 30,000,000 gallons per day, and with the limited facilities of the company and the rapid development of the City, both in industries and in population, the company was under great strain to supply sufficient water for the ordinary purposes of our municipal life.

The inefficiency of the supply, the high rates charged, the poor quality of the water furnished and the constant litigation of the company against the City, to collect higher rates than the City ordinance allowed, and the continued extortion of such rates from the people under the protection of injunction proceedings in the United States courts, had created an almost irresistible public demand for a new and adequate supply of pure fresh water from the Sierra Nevada Mountains to be owned and operated by the municipality.

This demand became more clamorous and far-reaching when, owing partly to the inadequate facilities of the Spring Valley Water Company and its insufficiency of supply, the water supply of the City failed when most needed, and the City was unable to cope with

the raging conflagration which destroyed four square miles of our buildings.

The Committee of Forty on reconstruction of the City, appointed by his Honor the Mayor, took up with especial interest the matter of a municipal water supply and appointed a distinguished Board of Engineers to report upon this subject. The report of this Board of Engineers, as submitted diligent and able consideration of the entire question and presented intelligently to the Committee of Forty, showed a sound, rational and practical conclusions with regard thereto.

Moved by their report, as well as by the necessities of conditions existing, your Honorable Board did, on May 14, 1906, call for new submissions of proposals for a municipal water supply to replace those destroyed by the fire. On May 21, 1906, proposals were submitted and thereafter referred to the undersigned, your Special Committee.

In a detailed report your Committee thereupon gave extended reasons for selecting five of the said proposals for further examination as being those most likely to comprise a meritorious, adequate and available source of municipal water supply, and recommended that a special Board of Engineers be appointed by his Honor the Mayor to examine and investigate with the City Engineer these various sources, and to report to the Board which of them was most available and meritorious. In accordance with such recommendation his Honor thereupon appointed as the special Board of Engineers the City Engineer and three distinguished engineers who had been members of the water supply committee of the Committee of Forty above referred to, and in whose ability and integrity the Board of Supervisors and the people of the City had entire confidence, to wit: Major C. H. McKinstry, U. S. A.; Prof. C. D. Marx and A. M. Hunt.

Your committee prepared detailed instructions for said engineers containing, so far as the knowledge and experience of your committee extended, all necessary and essential bases and elements of inquiry.

Your committee was subsequently informed that this special Board of Engineers had determined that it would take at least one year from the time of commencing investigations of the five proposals submitted to render

its report. Appreciating the magnitude of the work of examining into the five propositions, yet realizing also that the constant delays through engineering investigations and otherwise had extended over a period of more than 20 years, and had during that time prevented the City from acquiring a municipal water supply, and realizing further that if the mere engineering investigation should take one year, this Board of Supervisors and the present municipal administration which is pledged to the acquisition of such a supply would be out of office and a similar delay in the next administration would still further impede the securing of a water supply for the City, your committee called on his Honor the Mayor, laid the conditions before him and requested him to call a joint meeting of the Special Board of Engineers and of the special committee on water supply, to consider the matter jointly, and to see whether the work of obtaining a water supply could not in some manner be expedited.

The meeting was called, His Honor, the Mayor being present, as well as the City Engineer, Thomas P. Woodward and Prof. Marx and your Special Committee (Engineers McKinstry and Hunt not being in town, were unable to be present).

At that meeting after full and complete discussion it was unanimously agreed by all present that the only way rationally to expedite the acquisition of a municipal water supply was to reduce the number of proposals to be investigated and while the investigation could not be a comparative one, yet it was agreed that if the Board of Supervisors would accept the responsibility of making a selection of any one project which on its face appeared available and adequate, the Special Board of Engineers could examine, investigate and report its conclusions thereon about the first of March, 1907, which would allow the necessary time thereafter for submission of the question of acquisition to a vote of the People of San Francisco, and thereupon it was unanimously agreed that this committee should assume the responsibility of making a selection of one among the five proposals, and after confirmation of such selection by the Board of Supervisors, the water project so selected should be referred to said Special Board of Engineers for their complete investigation, examination and report.

Your committee begs to state that in the past grave criticism has been made of the delays in securing a municipal water supply, and it has been time and again openly charged that the Spring Valley Water Company has instigated and caused these delays in order that the City should not acquire a municipal water supply, and even now when your special committee has been actually at work, endeavoring to hasten the selection of a proposed supply, it has been charged that the delay of one year suggested by the engineers was but another play into the hands of the Spring Valley Water Company, and only this morning it is intimated editorially in one of the newspapers that this Board is probably allied to the Spring Valley Water Company's policies and interests and is not sincerely in favor of a new municipal water supply. How far this is from the truth every member of this Board knows, and every one who has kept in touch with the actions of this Board on the question of a municipal water supply also knows. This committee and this Board of Supervisors is unequivocally committed to the acquisition of such a supply as soon as possible, and as cheaply as possible.

We know from his Honor, the Mayor, that the special Board of Engineers has resigned on the ground that it was appointed to make a comparative investigation of the five proposals from which such Board of Engineers was to select one for further action, and that as it is now proposed to submit only one for examination that this is virtually the duty for which the Board of Engineers was appointed and that the examination of one proposal is not within the purview of their appointment. This may be technically true, but it is also true that this committee desires the valuable service of the eminent members of the special Board of Engineers to pass upon the availability and adequacy of the supply to be selected and desires for the people of San Francisco the benefit of their investigation, judgment and recommendation for which the Board of Supervisors is ready and willing to make all necessary appropriations.

All that the Board of Supervisors ask is that the examination be thorough and comprehensive, but that it

be as expeditious as consistent with full and accurate conclusions.

At the meeting above referred to, it appeared from the Engineers' statements that only one of the proposals submitted appeared to have had sufficient engineering work done thereon to justify any belief of accurate information even on the part of the proponents, of the exact conditions and capacities of their projects.

This proposal is that of the Bay Cities Water Company, which submits a detailed proposal, showing a water supply drawn from high mountain lakes of the Sierras, and from the American and Consumnes Rivers. The proponents of this project propose to sell to the City all their water rights, reservoirs, ditches and a complete water system with all necessary dams, reservoirs, tunnels, ditches, flumes and water rights (title clear and in fee simple) and delivering 60,000,000 gallons per day at the point where the pipe line to San Francisco is to commence, and with a potential development in the driest years of a continuous supply of 200,000,000 gallons per day, for \$10,500,000.00. Your committee has examined the various proposals submitted and on the face thereof that of the Bay Cities Company, as above stated, appears to be the best and most available. Your committee therefore recommends that your Honorable Board select this proposal for submission to the City Engineer and Special Board of Engineers, with request that they proceed at once to make a special investigation and examination of the same in order to determine whether the same complies with the requirements contained in the original call for proposals, whether it can produce an available and adequate supply of pure, fresh water, and whether such water can be brought to this City as required by the needs of the City in snort, whether from an engineering standpoint this proposed project would, if accepted by the City, furnish the needed water supply. If so, the Board of Supervisors will then take up questions of title and price.

It is understood that all electric power developable from this source must belong to the city.

Your committee calls attention to a report on several sources of supply, including the Bay Cities, recently filed by City Engineer Woodward, Engineer

J. R. Price and Engineer Marsden Manson.

Respectfully submitted,
JENNINGS T. PHILLIPS,
JAS. L. GALLAGHER,
JAS. F. KELLY,
CHAS. BOXTON,
EDWARD I. WALSH.

Read by Clerk.

Adopted.

Adopting and Approving Report of Special Committee on Water Supply, in Relation to Examination of Bay Cities Water Company's Supply.

Thereupon, under suspension of the rules, Supervisor Phillips introduced the following Resolution, which was, on his motion, adopted, as Resolution No. 380 (New Series):

Resolved, That the Report of the Special Committee on Water Supply this day filed be and the same is hereby adopted and approved, and the recommendations of said committee to submit for full engineering examination and investigation the project and proposal of the Bay Cities Water Company for the proposed municipal water supply is hereby adopted and approved. The Mayor is hereby requested to invite the services of the Special Board of Engineers, consisting of Major C. H. McKinstry, U. S. A.; Professor C. D. Marx and A. M. Hunt, to pass upon the availability and adequacy of said proposed supply in accordance with the Resolution of this Board calling for proposals for a municipal water supply, with the request that they proceed at once to make a special investigation and examination of the same in order to determine whether the same complies with the requirements contained in the original call for proposals, whether it can produce an available and adequate supply of pure, fresh water, and whether such water can be brought to this City as required by the needs of the City; in short, whether from an engineering standpoint this proposed project would, if accepted by the City, furnish the needed water supply. If so this Board will then take up the questions of title and price. It is understood that all electric power developable from this source must belong to the City.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Board of Health.

Resolution No. 381 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1795.50 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to James A. Snook & Co. for seven hundred and ninety-eight barrels of lime furnished the Board of Health during the month of May, 1906, as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Authorizing Payment, Building of Board of Public Works.

Resolution No. 382 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2500 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to C. E. Loss Company for two-story office building on the gore of City Hall and McAllister streets, as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Authorizing Payment, Water and Forage, Park.

Resolution No. 383 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2261.24 to be made out of the Park Fund in payment to the following firms for water and forage furnished Park Commissioners:

To Spring Valley Water Company, water, July, 1906..... \$836.25
To J. L. Verneil, forage, July,
1906\$1,424.99

\$2,261.24

As per contract and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Authorizing Payment, Office Supplies.

Resolution No. 384 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1175 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to H. S. Crocker Company for steel cabinet and cards, as per contract No. 7098.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, City and County Hospital.

Resolution No. 385 (New Series),

Authorizing an expenditure of \$542.38 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to James A. Snook & Co. for merchandise furnished City and County Hospital during month of July, 1906, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Fire Department.

Resolution No. 386 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4723.64 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for hydrants, forage, etc., furnished the San Francisco Fire Department:

To Risdon Iron Works, hydrants	\$2,250.00
To Scott & Magner, forage...	1,407.46
To James A. Snook & Co., forage	1,066.18

\$4,723.64

As per contract and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Resolution No. 387 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4228.87 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for materials and forage furnished the San Francisco Fire Department, as follows:

To Mary E. Gorber, materials. \$600.00	
To Somers & Co., hay.....	1,634.60
To Scott & Magner, straw....	1,994.27

\$4,228.87

As per contracts and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Authorizing Payment, Printing and Stationery Supplies.

Resolution No. 388 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$11,508.25 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for printing and supplies furnished the stationery department, as follows:

To Phillips & Van Orden, books	\$ 1,712.50
To Phillips & Van Orden, blanks	3,839.00

To Phillips & Van Orden, tax bills	1,472.00
To Phillips & Van Orden, books	977.00
To Phillips & Van Orden, books	755.25
To Yawman & Erbe, indexes.	2,025.00
To Brown & Power, printing.	727.50

\$11,508.25

As per contracts and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Authorizing Payment, Maintenance of Minors.

Resolution No. 389 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2,832.69 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following named for maintenance and tuition of minors committed to the Preston School of Industry and St. Vincent's Asylum, for the months of July and August, 1906, as follows:

To State of California, July, 1906	\$ 758.58
To State of California, August, 1906	761.14
To Brother Xenophon, July 1906	640.00
To Brotaer Xenophon, August, 1906	672.97

\$2,832.69

As per bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 390 (New Series), granting Dieckmann & Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 40 horsepower in premises situate on the north side of Beach street, between Mason and Taylor streets, the same to be used for generating heat and drying lumber.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Resolution No. 391 (New Series), granting W. P. Johnson Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 30

horsepower in premises situate on the southerly line of Sixteenth avenue South, between G street South and F street South, the same to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Resolution No. 392 (New Series), granting San Francisco Plating Works permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 6 horsepower in premises situate at northeast corner of Mission street and Grand avenue, the same to be used for furnishing power for plating works.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Oil Permit.

Resolution No. 393 (New Series), granting Joshey Lane permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 300 gallons in premises situate at No. 26 Hoff avenue, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boiler in said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Blasting Permits.

Resolution No. 394 (New Series), granting Charles Holbrook permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the removal of ruins from lot situate on south side of Mission street, between First and Second streets.

Provided that said Charles Holbrook shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Resolution No. 395 (New Series), granting The Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the purpose

of removing the ruins of the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company building, corner of Sacramento and Montgomery streets.

Provided said Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

State Tax Levy, 1906-7.

Bill No. 67, Ordinance No. 61 (New Series), as follows:

Providing Revenue for State purposes for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1907.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. Under and in pursuance of the Political Code and of the Statutes of the State of California, and in conformity thereto, and in pursuance of the action of the State Board of Equalization, and in conformity thereto, there is hereby levied a tax for State purposes for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1907, on all property, both real and personal, in the City and County of San Francisco, except such other property as is by law exempt from taxation, the sum of forty-seven cents six mills (\$.476) on each one hundred (\$100.00) dollars valuation of said taxable property upon the assessment roll of said fiscal year, which said sum of forty-seven cents six mills (\$.476) on each one hundred (\$100.00) dollars valuation, as aforesaid, is apportioned to the funds and accounts known and designated as follows:

For the General Fund.....	24.3 cents
For the School Fund.....	18.8 cents
For the State High School Fund	1.5 cents
For the Interest and Sinking Fund	1.0 cent
For the support of the University of California...	2.0 cents

Total rate of State Tax...47.6 cents

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher,

Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

RAILWAY TRACK MILEAGE AND ASSESSED VALUES.

Southern Pacific Railroad Company.
Bill No. 68, Ordinance No. 62 (New Series), as follows:

Declaring the length of the main track and the assessed value of the railway of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company in the City and County for the year 1906.

Whereas, Pursuant to Section 3665 of the Political Code, this Board is required to pass an order stating and declaring the length of the main track and the assessed value of each railway in this City and County as fixed by the State Board of Equalization; and

Whereas, The Auditor of this City and County has transmitted to this Board on the 17th day of September, 1906, a copy of the statement made by and received from the State Board of Equalization fixing the assessment of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company which recites that:

The State Board of Equalization, on the 6th day of August, 1906, assessed for the year 1906, the Southern Pacific Railroad Company for its franchise, roadway, roadbed, rails and rolling stock in the State of California in the aggregate sum of \$38,701,847.

The entire length of the main track of railway of said company in the said State is 2380.16 miles.

The length of the main track of said railway in the City and County of San Francisco is 7.36 miles.

The assessed value per mile of said railway, as fixed by a pro rata distribution per mile of the assessed of the whole franchise, roadway, roadbed, rails and rolling stock of such railway of the said company within the State, according to said assessment of said State Board, is \$16,260.19.

The apportionment of the assessment of the said franchise, roadway, roadbed, rails and rolling stock by said Board for and to the City and County of San Francisco, is, according to the assessment of said State Board, \$119,675; now, therefore,

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco, as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby expressly stated and declared that the length of the main track of the railway of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company in this City and County is 7.36 miles, and

that the assessed value of the railway of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company in the City and County for the year 1906 is, according to said assessment of said State Board, \$119,675.

Section 2. The Clerk is hereby directed to cause this order to be entered upon the minutes of this Board.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Central Pacific Railway Company.
Bill No. 69, Ordinance No. 63 (New Series), as follows:

Declaring the length of the main track and the assessed value of the railway of the Central Pacific Railway Company in the City and County for the year 1906.

Whereas, Pursuant to Section 3665 of the Political Code, this Board is required to pass an order stating and declaring the length of the main track and the assessed value of each railway in this City and County as fixed by the State Board of Equalization; and

Whereas, The Auditor of this City and County has transmitted to this Board on the 17th day of September, 1906, a copy of the statement made by and received from the State Board of Equalization fixing the assessment of the Central Pacific Railway Company, which recites that:

The State Board of Equalization, on the 6th day of August, 1906, assessed for the year 1906 the Central Pacific Railway Company for its franchise, roadway, roadbed, rails and rolling stock in the State of California in the aggregate sum of \$15,000,000.

The entire length of the main track of railway of said company in the said State is 746 miles.

The length of the main track of said railway in the City and County of San Francisco is 2.46 miles.

The assessed value per mile of said railway, as fixed by a pro rata distribution per mile of the assessed of the whole franchise, roadway, roadbed, rails and rolling stock of such railway of the said company within the State, according to said assessment of said State Board, is \$20,103.74.

The apportionment of the assessment of the said franchise, roadway, roadbed, rails and rolling stock by said Board for and to the City and County of San Francisco is, according to the

assessment of said State Board, \$49,455; now, therefore,

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby expressly stated and declared, that the length of the main track of the railway of the Central Pacific Railway Company in this City and County is 2.46 miles, and that the assessed value of the railway of the Central Pacific Railway Company in the City and County for the year 1906 is, according to said assessment of said State Board, \$49,455.

Section 2. The Clerk is hereby directed to cause this order to be entered upon the minutes of this Board.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Pullman Company.

Bill No. 70, Ordinance No. 64 (New Series), as follows:

Declaring the length of the main track and the assessed value of the railway of the Pullman Company in the City and County for the year 1906.

Whereas, Pursuant to Section 3665 of the Political Code, this Board is required to pass an order stating and declaring the length of the main track and the assessed value of each railway in this City and County as fixed by the State Board of Equalization; and

Whereas, The Auditor of this City and County has transmitted to this Board on the 17th day of September, 1906, a copy of the statement made by and received from the State Board of Equalization fixing the assessment of the Pullman Company, which recites that:

The State Board of Equalization, on the 20th day of August, 1906, assessed for the year 1906, the Pullman Company for its franchise, roadway, roadbed, rails and rolling stock in the State of California in the aggregate sum of \$600,000.

The entire length of the main track of railway of said company in the said State is 3077.426 miles.

The length of the main track of said railway in the City and County of San Francisco is 7.36 miles.

The assessed value per mile of said railway as fixed by a pro rata distribution per mile of the assessed of the whole franchise, roadway, roadbed, rails and rolling stock of such railway of said Company within the State, ac-

cording to said assesment of said State Board, is 194.97.

The apportionment of the assessment of the said franchise, roadway, roadbed, rails and rolling stock by said Board for and to the City and County of San Francisco is, according to the assessment of said State Board, \$1435; now therefore

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby expressly stated and declared that the length of the main track of the railway of the Pullman Company in this City and County is 7.36 miles, and that the assessed value of the railway of the Pullman Company in the City and County for the year 1906 is, according to said assessment of said State Board, \$1435.

Section 2. The Clerk is hereby directed to cause this order to be entered upon the minutes of this Board.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Relating to Payment of Liquor Licenses.

Bill No. 71, Ordinance No. 65 (New Series), entitled "Amending Section No. 1 of Ordinance No. 29 (New Series), entitled, "Imposing a license on liquor dealers," the provisions of which prescribe that every person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of selling spirituous or malt, or fermented liquors or wines shall pay a license of five hundred dollars (\$500) per annum, payable in quarterly installments of one hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$125), said installments to date from time the license is issued.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Relating to Numbering of Buildings.

Bill No. 72, Ordinance No. 66 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 349, relating to method of numbering buildings between main streets, of Ordinance No. 31 (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the construction, erection, enlargement, raising, alteration, repair, removal, maintenance, use and height of buildings; regulating character and use of materials in and for buildings; establishing fire limits, and repealing all ordinances in conflict with this ordinance."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Bill No. 73, Ordinance No. 67 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades at certain points and elevations on Madison avenue between its southeasterly termination and the southeasterly line of Harrison street."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Authorizing Payment, Construction, Laguna Honda School.

Resolution No. 396 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$24,000 to be made out of the Public Building Fund in payment to P. P. Quinn for labor and material furnished for the construction of the Laguna Honda School, as per compromise agreement under the provisions of resolution of Board of Education.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Regulating the Construction and Use of Spur Tracks.

Bill No. 48, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for and regulating the construction maintenance and use of spur tracks on and over public streets within the City and County of San Francisco, and fixing penalties for the violation thereof," heretofore referred to the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee, and returned by said Committee amended in various particulars, was taken up, and said amendments approved and adopted.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, said Bill No. 48, as amended was, on motion of Supervisor Rea, passed for printing.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$68,054.80, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 7029 to 7437 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of

allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

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On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. — (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$554.07 to be made out of the Telegraph Hill Bond Redemption and Interest Fund in payment to the German Savings and Loan Society for the refund of 1904-05 taxes of Telegraph Hill Park levy declared invalid by the Supreme Court.

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Authorizing Payment, Maintenance of Minors.

On motion of Supervisor Sanderson:

Resolution No. — (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$531.20 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Mt. St. Joseph's Infant Orphan Asylum for board and tuition of inmates for the month of August, 1906, as per bill rendered.

Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Duffy: Resolution No. — (New Series), granting Oscar Fincke permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of 10 horsepower in premises situate at Nos. 1908-1910 Bryant street, the same to be used for drying lumber in furniture factory.

Also Resolution No. — (New Series), granting Korbel Box Factory permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of 15 horse-

power in premises situate at No. 2014 Bryant street, the same to be used for generating heat for drying lumber.

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Also Resolution No. — (New Series), granting Modern Bakery permission, during the pleasure or the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 200 gallons in premises situate at No. 3581 Twentieth street, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boiler in said premises.

Accepting Deed to Ruth and Leo Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Rea, Bill No. 75, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Accepting a Deed of Land from P. A. McDonald for the opening of Ruth street and Leo street and naming and designating said Ruth street and Leo street open public streets."

Conditional Acceptance of H Street From Twelfth to Twentieth Avenues.

Also, Bill No. 76, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the conditional acceptance of the roadway of H street from Twelfth avenue to Twentieth avenue, the northerly half paved with asphaltum and the southerly half paved with bituminous rock."

Reducing Width of Ellis Street Sidewalks.

Also, Bill No. 77, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending ordinance No. 1061, entitled 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered two hundred and twenty-five," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Ellis street, between Market street and Van Ness avenue, at twelve (12) feet.

Permitting Temporary Construction of Planked Sidewalks in Burnt District.

Also Bill No. 78, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Suspending for one year the provisions of Section 8 of Ordinance No. 240, prohibiting the construction of wooden or plank sidewalks," the provisions of which permit the construction of plank sidewalks within the burnt district, for a period of one year.

Extension of Time, Street Work.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), granting Owen McHugh an extension of ninety days' time from and after October 2, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the grading,

curbing and macadamizing of Fulton street, between the easterly line of Twenty-fifth avenue and the westerly line of Thirty-fifth avenue.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to complete the contract until the railroad company has completed the track-laying.

Authorizing Appointment of Six Clerks by County Clerk.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Bill No. 79, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the appointment of six additional clerks by the County Clerk and fixing their compensation."

Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Install Telephone.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas: Resolution No. 397 (New Series), as follows: "Resolved, That the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company be and is hereby authorized and requested to install a telephone in the residence of E. C. Leffingwell, Secretary of the Board of Education, located at No. 2949 Sacramento street."

Electric Sign Permit.

Also, Resolution No. 398 (New Series), as follows: "Resolved, That the Alexander-Yost Company be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an electric sign on the front of the building occupied by them on the corner of Pine and Polk streets."

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Relating to Blasting on Telegraph Hill.

Privilege of Floor.

Supervisor Rea moved that Rev. Father Caraher be granted the privilege of the floor for the purpose of addressing the Board relative to blasting on Telegraph Hill.

So ordered.

Thereupon Father Caraher addressed the Board at length, objecting to the continuation of blasting operations on Telegraph Hill by Gray Bros., and others, and stating in course of his remarks that the sewers on the hill were blasted away, leaving the sewage exposed and thus endangering the health of residents, and moreover, that the lives of the people were constantly

endangered by the ever-recurring blasting.

Motion.

Supervisor Coffey moved that the Clerk be directed to communicate with his Honor the Mayor, requesting that the Chief of Police be instructed to prevent further blasting on Telegraph Hill.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted.

Granting Leave of Absence to His Honor the Mayor.

On motion of Supervisor Coleman: Resolution No. 399 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The Mayor of the City has determined to undertake a journey to Europe on matters of interest to the municipality, and among other things, proposes to investigate, and, if possible, to secure a settlement by numerous foreign insurance companies which have failed and refused to meet their just obligations to the people of this City, arising out of losses through our recent conflagration, and

Whereas, The Mayor has also expressed his intention to make a study of municipal conditions, progress and development in the great cities of this country and of Europe, with a view to applying the result of his investigations to the advantage and benefit of this City in her restoration and upbuilding, therefore be it

Resolved, That leave be and the same hereby is granted to Honorable E. E. Schmitz, Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco, to absent himself from the State of California for the period of sixty days consecutively from the first day of October, 1906.

Board of Public Works Pay \$6.00 Per Day for Single Teams.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas: Resolution No. 400 (New Series) as follows: "Resolved, that the Board of Public Works be and said Board is hereby authorized and requested to increase the amount of wages paid for single teams from \$5.00 to \$6.00 per day, said increase being necessitated by the increased cost of stabling and maintaining horses, and by the increased wages paid to teamsters."

Providing for Leasing of Quarters for Criminal Courts and for Police Department.

Also, Resolution No. 401 (New Ser-

ies), as follows:

Whereas, It is an urgent and immediate necessity to provide a suitable building for the accommodation of the Central Police Station, City Prison, four Police Courts, three departments of the Superior Court trying criminal cases, offices of the District Attorney and Bond and Warrant Clerks and of the Chief and officers of the Police Department, and stables for police patrol wagon horses, also for all officials and departments formerly located in the Hall of Justice, and

Whereas, Mrs. Ernestine Kreling, through her duly authorized agents, has offered and agreed to construct suitable buildings upon her property on the north line of Eddy street, distant sixty-eight feet and nine inches easterly from Mason street, thence easterly along said line of Eddy street 68 feet 9 inches, with a uniform depth northerly of one hundred and seventy-five (175) feet; also a lot on the west line of Glasgow street, distant thereon eighty-seven feet southerly from Ellis street, thence southerly along said line of Glasgow street ninety-six (96) feet, with a uniform depth westerly of seventy-five (75) feet, for the purposes hereinabove set forth, for a term of two (2) years, with the privilege of renewal for an additional two years, at the monthly rental of two thousand (\$2000) dollars; therefore be it

Resolved, That said offer of Mrs. Ernestine Kreling for the lease of said property above described be and the same is hereby accepted, and further

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to enter upon an agreement and lease of said premises for the period of two years upon the terms and conditions above specified.

Appointing Supervisor James L. Gallagher, Acting Mayor.

On motion of Supervisor Davis: Resolution No. 402 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Supervisor James L. Gallagher be and he is hereby appointed acting Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco during the absence of his Honor Mayor E. E. Schmitz from the State of California.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 5:30 o'clock adjourned, to meet on Wednesday, September 26, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Wednesday, September 26, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors noted present:

Supervisors—Coffey, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Wilson—11. Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journal of the previous meeting was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Petition—Of Dunlevy & Gettle and numerous business men located on City Hall avenue and Marshall Square, for the installation of one or more electric lights on City Hall avenue.

Of Rev. B. Radahan and numerous others for the erection of a street lamp on the crossing of Greenwich and Dupont streets.

To the Finance Committee.

Petition—Of Conrad Kober, with claim against the City and County of San Francisco and the United States of America, in the sum of \$824.90, for damages alleged to have been sustained through the confiscation and destruction of stock of wines and liquors in premises situate at No. 401 Clement street on April 21, 1906.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of C. L. Davis, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 70 horsepower in premises situate No. 147 Beach street.

Of E. W. McLellan, for permission to blast for the purpose of removing the ruins of the Palace Hotel, situate on the south side of Market street, between New Montgomery and Annie streets.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Protests—Of Chas. M. Hawes, against the granting of a franchise to the Western Pacific Railroad, along and across Connecticut and Twentieth streets.

Of Wm. Ott, against the granting of a franchise to the Western Pacific Railroad on Iowa street between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets.

Of the Parkside Realty Company of San Francisco, for the closing and abandonment of Ocean avenue from Corbett avenue to the Great Highway, and for the opening in lieu thereof for highway purposes, of a strip of land 70 feet in width running northerly and westerly from said Ocean avenue.

Also, for permission to lay temporary tracks for grading purposes on various streets in the Sunset District.

Also, for the temporary closing, to permit of grading and building operations, of the streets in district bounded on the north by V street, on the east by Twenty-fifth avenue, on the west by Thirty-sixth avenue and on the south by Lake Merced Rancho.

Also, for the temporary closing, to permit of grading and building operations, of streets in district bounded on the east by Seventeenth avenue, on the South by Twenty-first avenue, on the west by Thirty-seventh avenue and on the north by S street.

Of Chas. Freirermuth, for the repaving of the roadway of Lombard street between Gough and Octavia streets.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Board of Education, recommending that provision be made for the purchase of land sites for the construction thereon of school buildings authorized by the Bond Issue, and also that specifications and plans be prepared for the erection of certain school buildings authorized by said bond issue.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

From the County Clerk with requisition for one fire proof safe.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of performing the following street work, the expense thereof to be assessed on private property, to wit:

1. That a 15-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed on the crossing of Eighteenth avenue and California street.

2. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the southwesterly angular corners of Church and Market streets, on Sanchez street between Twenty-fifth and Elizabeth streets, and on the crossing of Twenty-third and Sanchez streets.

3. That stone culverts and a bituminous rock pavement be constructed on Oakwood street from Eighteenth street to its southerly termination.

4. That an 8-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed on Florida street between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets.

5. That a 15-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed on Noe between Thirtieth and Day streets.

Also, recommending that grades be changed and established at certain points and elevations on Eleventh avenue, on Twelfth avenue, on Thirteenth avenue, on Fourteenth avenue, on Fifteenth avenue, on Sixteenth avenue, on Seventeenth avenue, on Eighteenth avenue, on Nineteenth avenue, on H street, on I street, on J street, on K street, on L street, on M street, on N street and on O street.

File.

A communication from the Coroner, transmitting copies of verdicts rendered by juries in the cases of John W. Pearson and J. Gelp, whose deaths were caused by a street railway accident occurring at Turk and Devisadero streets, September 16th, 1906, was received, read and ordered filed.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$8926.80, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 7444 to 7485 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Sanderson, Wilson—11.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Mt. Vernon Avenue Bridge.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$11,156.00 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company for construction of bridge at Mount Vernon and San Jose avenues, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Sewer Work.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2357 to be made out of the "Sewer Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund in payment to Williams & Belser for construction sewer in crossing of Van Ness avenue and Vallejo street, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorization Payment, Motor Car

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1900 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Boyer Motor Car Company for one motor car, as per bill rendered.

Prohibiting Sale of Adulterated Drugs.

On motion of Supervisor Wilson:

Bill No. 80, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance to prohibit the sale of adulterated drugs and medicines; defining 'adulteration,' 'drug'; prohibiting the sale of methyl alcohol in drugs and medicines; providing for the enforcement thereof, and penalties for the violation thereof."

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Install Telephones in Supervisors' Office.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas: Resolution No. 403 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company be and is hereby requested and authorized to install an extension telephone in the private office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, with suitable apparatus attached in order to enable the telephone operator employed in the Supervisors' office to connect the various extensions in the different rooms in Mowry's Hall, and also to install another separate telephone in the outer office

of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Install Hydrants at Twenty-ninth Street Hospital.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. 404 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Spring Valley Water Company be and is hereby authorized and requested to install three fire hydrants in the grounds surrounding the Twenty-sixth Street Hospital for the purpose of affording adequate protection against fire to said building. The location of said hydrants to be indicated by the Health Department of the City and County.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Motion.

Supervisor Coleman moved that the use of the Chambers of the Board of Supervisors be granted the Committee on Reception to Arctic Explorer, Captain Roald Amundsen, for Friday afternoon, September 29, 1906.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, at the hour of 4 o'clock, the Board adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, October 1, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Quorum present.

His Honor, Acting Mayor Jas. L. Gallagher, presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of the meetings of September 24 and September 26, 1906, were read and approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Capital and Labor Committee.

Communication—From the California State Agricultural Society, relative to the appointment of a statistician for San Francisco County, under the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of March 20, 1906.

To the Finance Committee.

Communication—From the Ship Owners' and Merchants' Tug Boat Co., with claim in the sum of \$875, for five days' service of the tug "Sea Rover", rendered the Police Department in relief work from April 18th to April 23, 1906, inclusive.

To the Fire Committee.

Petition—Of the Globe Bakery, for permission to store and use crude petroleum in premises No. 2027 Fillmore street.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petition—Of the Potrero Commercial and Manufacturers' Association, for the suppression of the nuisance resulting from the operation of the Sanitary Reduction Works.

To the Outside Lands Committee.

Petitions—Of Luigi Lercari, for a grant of land in Western Addition Block No. 147.

Of Wilfred E. Harding and Camille E. Harding, his wife, for an amended City deed to a portion of Outside Land Block No. 681.

Of Carl V. Kronquist, for an amended City deed to a portion of Potrero Nuevo Block No. 156.

Of Marie S. Murphy, wife of Eugene P. Murphy, for an amended City deed to a portion of Western Addition Block No. 266.

Of Jos. Sheehan, for an amended City deed to a portion of Mission Block No. 144.

To the Police Committee.

Petitions—Of Joe Harrington, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$2.50, paid the Poundkeeper for the release of one dog alleged to have been illegally impounded.

Of Christ Stader, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$6.00, paid the Poundkeeper for the release of two cows alleged to have been illegally impounded.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Protest—Of Wm. P. Johnson and other property owners, against granting a franchise to the Western Pacific Railway Company.

Communication—From the Western Pacific Railway Company, stating that its engineering department is now engaged in the preparation of a profile map of its Potrero route and that the same will be filed with the Board of Supervisors when completed.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petitions—Of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company, for permission to lay and maintain a spur track on Eighth street between Carolina and Irwin streets.

Also, for permission to lay and maintain a spur track on Hubbell street between Arkansas and Seventh streets.

Also, for permission to lay and maintain a spur track on Arkansas street from Sixteenth street to Hubbell street to Seventh street.

Also, for permission to lay and maintain a spur track on Indiana street and on Minnesota street.

Of Bemis Bros. Bag Company, for permission to lay and maintain a spur track on Green street connecting its property at the northeast corner of Sansome and Green streets with the Belt Line Railroad.

Of the Van Ness Avenue Retailers' Association, for the better sweeping and cleaning of Van Ness avenue.

Of Property Owners, for the straightening of lines and widening of entrances to Spofford street, a thoroughfare between Clay and Washington, Dupont and Stockton streets.

Of the Fillmore Improvement Association, for the bituminizing of Fillmore street from Sutter street to Golden Gate avenue.

Of Property Owners, for the removal of a fence now obstructing Beacon street and Thirty-first street at Castro street and at Diamond street; for the effectual prevention of further encroachment on Beacon street by Gray Bros., and for the repair of the damage already done by Gray Bros. to said streets.

File.

Communication—A Communication from the Presidio and Ferries Railway Company, acknowledging receipt of copy of Ordinance No. 51, and stating that the work of reconstruction of its lines has been commenced in accordance with Section 2 of said Ordinance, was received, read and ordered placed on file.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Fire Committee.

From the Board of Fire Commissioners, calling attention to the deplorable condition of the companies of

the Fire Department whose quarters were destroyed by the recent fire.

To the Judiciary Committee.

From the City Attorney, advising relative to escrow agreement between Pacific Improvement Company and the City and County of San Francisco, in the matter of the purchase of lands for the widening of Brannan street at Tenth street and Potrero avenue.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of performing the following street work, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property:

1. That a 12-inch sewer with appurtenances be constructed in Mississippi street between Mariposa and Seventeenth streets.

2. That stone curbs, artificial stone sidewalks and a bituminous rock pavement be constructed on the crossing of Eighth avenue and J street.

Also, recommending the ordering of the construction of an 18 and a 24-inch pipe sewer in Mission street in the vicinity of Seventh street, at an estimated cost to the City and County of \$1250, payable out of the Bond proceeds.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Sixteenth street between Castro and Market streets paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending the immediate sale of \$1,000,000 worth of sewer bonds and \$500,000 worth of repaving bonds.

Also, recommending that W. F. Hanrahan be granted an extension of 90 days' time within which to complete his contract for the construction of the Upper Sunset sewer.

To the Joint Committee on Streets, Sewers and Parks and Finance.

From the Board of Public Works, notifying that the State Board of Harbor Commissioners is liable for one-sixth of the expense for the construction of the approach to the Third-street bridge, and that said Board should reimburse the City and County to the extent of \$1826.15, its proportionate liability for said work.

File.

A communication from his Honor, James L. Gallagher, Acting Mayor, recommending the appointment of two additional deputies for the Recorder's office, was received read and ordered placed on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.**Final Passage.**

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Amending "Building Law," Relative to Covering of Roofs.

Bill No. 74, Ordinance No. 68 (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance amending Sections 5, 102 and 235, relating to the covering of roofs, of Ordinance No. 31 (New Series), entitled, 'Regulating the construction, erection, enlargement, raising, alteration, repair, removal, maintenance, use and height of buildings; regulating character and use of materials in and for buildings; establishing fire limits, and repealing all Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance,' approved July 5, 1906, and repealing Ordinance No. 53 (New Series), approved September 14, 1906."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Regulating the Construction and Use of Spur Tracks.

Bill No. 48, Ordinance No. 69 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for and regulating the construction, maintenance and use of spur tracks on and over public streets within the City and County of San Francisco, and fixing penalties for the violation thereof."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Authorizing Refund Telegraph Hill Bond Taxes.

Resolution No. 405 (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$554.07 to be made out of the Telegraph Hill Bond Redemption and Interest Fund in payment to the German Savings and Loan Society for the refund of 1904-05 taxes of Telegraph Hill Park levy declared invalid by the Supreme Court.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Authorizing Payment, Printing Election Manuals.

Resolution No. 406 (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$742 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Phillips & Van Orden Co.,

for printing and binding 3000 Election Manuals, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Authorizing Payment, Maintenance of Minors.

Resolution No. 407 (New Series), authorizing an expenditure of \$531.20 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Mt. St. Joseph's Infant Orphan Asylum for board and tuition of inmates for the month of August, 1906, as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 408 (New Series), granting Oscar Fincke permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of 10 horsepower in premises situate at Nos. 1908-1910 Bryant street, the same to be used for drying lumber in furniture factory.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Resolution No. 409 (New Series), Granting Korbek Box Factory permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of 15 horsepower in premises situate at No. 2014 Bryant street, the same to be used for generating heat for drying lumber.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Oil Permit.

Resolution No. 410 (New Series), granting Modern Bakery permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 200 gallons in premises situate at No. 3581 Twentieth street, for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boiler in said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Accepting Deed to Ruth and Leo Streets.

Bill No. 75, Ordinance No. 70 (New Series), entitled, "Accepting a deed of land from P. A. McDonald for the opening of Ruth street and Leo street and naming and designating said Ruth street and Leo street open public streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Conditional Acceptance of H Street from Twelfth to Twentieth Avenues.

Bill No. 76, Ordinance No. 71 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the conditional acceptance of the roadway of H street from Twelfth avenue to Twentieth avenue, the northerly half paved with asphaltum and the southerly half paved with bituminous rock."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Reducing Width of Ellis Street Sidewalks.

Bill No. 77, Ordinance No. 72 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered two hundred and twenty-five," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Ellis street, between Market street and Van Ness avenue, at twelve (12) feet.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Permitting Temporary Construction of Planked Sidewalks in Burnt District.

Bill No. 78, Ordinance No. 73 (New Series), entitled, "Suspending for one year the provisions of Section 8 of Ordinance No. 240, prohibiting the construction of wooden or plank sidewalks," the provisions of which permit the construction of plank sidewalks within the burnt district, for a period for one year.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Extension of Time, Street Work.

Resolution No. 411 (New Series), granting Owen McHugh an extension of ninety days' time from and after

October 2, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the grading, curbing and macadamizing of Falton street, between the easterly line of Twenty-fifth avenue and the westerly line of Thirty-fifth avenue.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to complete the contract until the railroad company has completed the track-laying.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Authorizing Appointment of Six Clerks by County Clerk.

Bill No. 79, Ordinance No. 74 (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the appointment of six additional clerks by the County Clerk and fixing their compensation."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Granting Franchise to Home Telephone Company of San Francisco.

Bill No. 39, Ordinance No. 75 (New Series), entitled, "Granting to the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco a franchise to construct, maintain and operate a telephone system in the City and County of San Francisco, and to construct, maintain and operate through, along, under and in the streets, alleys and highways of said City and County, poles, wires, cables, underground conduits and other appliances for the purpose of transmitting sound, signals and conversation by means of electricity or otherwise."

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Wilson—10.

Noes—Supervisors Bixton, McGushin, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh—5.

Absent—Supervisors Furey, Harrigan, Lonergan—3.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$4709.62, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 7488 to 7506 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and re-

ferred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Judgment, South Park.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. — (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$20,000 to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to A. A. Sanderson for amount of judgment rendered in Superior Court, Department No. 1, in Daniel Wallace et al. v. City and County of San Francisco, No. 61,767, and in accordance with terms of Ordinance No. 601, and bill rendered.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series). Granting C. L. Davis permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 70 horsepower in premises situate at No. 147 Beach street, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series). Granting Henry Rhine & Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 15 horsepower in premises situate at the corner of Nineteenth and Bryant streets, the same to be used in a candy factory.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series). Granting California Doughnut and Cruller Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 5 horsepower in premises situate at the corner of eighteenth and Guerrero streets, the same to be used for operating machinery in bakery.

Oil Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series). Granting California Doughnut and Cruller Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a

storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 1500 gallons in premises situate at Eighteenth and Guerrero streets for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boiler on said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series). Granting Kohs & Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 400 gallons in premises situate at corner Twenty-fifth and Mission streets for the purpose of storing crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boiler on said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series). Granting Lane Hospital permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 2000 gallons in premises situate at the corner of Clay and Webster streets for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Recorder Appoint Two Deputies.

On motion of Supervisor Davis:

Bill No. 81, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the Recorder to appoint two (2) assistant deputy clerks and providing for their compensation."

Extensions of Time, Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor Rea.

Resolution No. — (New Series). Granting the City Street Improvement Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after October 4, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of sewers in Fourth street, between Howard and Channel streets.

This extension of time is recommended for the reason that the contractor has been unable to procure materials to prosecute the work.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series). Granting J. J. Dowling & Co. an extension of ninety days' time from and after October 12, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of stone curbs and basalt block pavement on Harrison street, between Fourth and Sixth streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that owing to the necessity of reconstructing the sewer in this street the contractor has been unable to diligently prosecute the work.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Approving Statement of Financial Condition of the City and County.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. 412 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following statement, showing the financial condition of the City and County of San Francisco, be and is hereby approved, and the clerk is hereby directed to transmit a copy thereof to the State Controller;

Financial condition of the City and County of San Francisco on the first day of October, 1906.

Rounded debt at $\frac{5}{8}$ per cent interest	\$ 4,568,600.00
Less sinking funds on hand	442,309.10
	<u>\$ 4,126,290.90</u>

Value of property—	
Parks, squares and improvements	\$ 13,575,000.00
Fire Department, lots, improvements, apparatus and furniture	1,800,000.00
Police Department, lots, improvements, apparatus and furniture	140,000.00
Department of Electricity, underground wires and apparatus	235,000.00
City Hall lot, Hall of Justice, lot, Almshouse, Hospital and furniture	4,500,000.00
Cemetery reservations	590,000.00
Sundry lots	275,000.00
Channel street lots, Ninth to Eighteenth streets	110,000.00
School lots, improvements and furniture	6,000,000.00
	<u>\$ 27,225,000.00</u>

Cash on hand in City and County Treasury—	
Interest Funds	91,524.99
Sinking Funds	442,309.10
Miscellaneous Funds	4,259,882.24

Total City and County Funds	\$ 4,793,716.33
Total State Money	38,697.63

Total	\$ 4,832,413.96
Assessed value of real estate	\$237,082,752.00
Assessed value of improvements	50,250,480.00
Assessed value of personal property, money and solvent credits	88,634,940.00
	<u>\$375,968,172.00</u>

Taxes levied City and County per \$100	1.322
State per \$100 .....	.476
	<u>1.798</u>

Total	\$ 1.798
Revenue on Supervisors' estimate City and County \$325,000,000 at \$1.322	\$ 4,296,500.00
Revenue on assessment roll City and County \$375,938,172 at \$1.322	4,970,299.23
State, \$375,968,172.00, at \$0.476	1,789,608.50
	<u>\$ 6,759,907.73</u>

Receipts from other sources, estimate	2,587,500.00
Valuation of railroads by State Board of Equalization—	
Central Pacific Railroad, 2.46 miles	49,455.00
Southern Pacific Railroad, 7.26 miles	119,675.00
The Pullman Company, 7.36 miles	1,435.00
	<u>\$ 170,565.00</u>
Revenue from above—	
City and County, at \$1.322	2,254.87
State, at \$0.476	811.88
	<u>\$ 3,066.75</u>

Intention to Change Grades.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. 413 (New Series). Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Eleventh avenue, on Twelfth avenue, on Thirteenth avenue, on Fourteenth avenue, on Fifteenth avenue, on Sixteenth avenue, on Seventeenth avenue, on Eighteenth avenue, on Nineteenth avenue, on H street, on I street, on J street, on K street, on L street, on M street, on N street, and on O street, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works filed September 26, 1906, and directing said Board to determine the district to be assessed for benefits and to make an estimate of the cost of making said changes of grade, including an estimate of the damages which may result therefrom or be caused thereby.

Refunding Poundkeeper's Fees.

On motion of Supervisor Sanderson: Resolution No. 414 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of six (\$6.00) dollars be and the same is hereby refunded to C. Stader, said sum having been paid to the Poundkeeper for the release of two cows illegally impounded, per his petition filed October 1, 1906, in duplicate, the original petition having been destroyed in the late fire.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 4 o'clock, adjourned, to meet on Thursday, October 4, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1906.

in Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Thursday, October 4, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present: Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Quorum present.

His Honor Acting Mayor Jas. L. Gallagher, presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journal of the previous meeting was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Joint Committee on Artificial Lights and Streets, Sewers and Parks.

Petition—Of Britton & Rey and numerous other business men and residents, for the installation of a street lighting service on Bay street from the water front to Montgomery avenue west, and also for the cleaning and sprinkling of streets in said locality.

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petitions—Of Geronimo Cruz, by Ah Lee, his agent, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$2.00 poll tax for the year 1906, alleged to have been illegally collected.

Of Artie Aquilar, by his agent Ah Lee, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$2.00 poll tax for the year 1906, alleged to have been illegally collected.

To the Finance Committee.

Petition—Of Mrs. E. Gee, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$20.00, unearned rental subsequent to April 18, 1906, of premises forming a part of the Library Block.

To the Fire Committee

Petitions—Of Callon, Dingley & Burkhardt, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of eight horsepower in premises No. 1585 Fifteenth street, the same to be used in a plating works.

Of the Morgan & Wright and Hartford Rubber Works Company, for per-

mission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of six horsepower in premises No. 423 Golden Gate avenue, the same to be used in the process of vulcanizing rubber tires.

To the Joint Committee on Hospital and Health and Judiciary.

Petition—Of the Market Street and Eureka Valley Improvement Club, to instruct the City Attorney to appeal from the opinion rendered by Judge Seawell in the so-called "Stable Ordinance" case.

To the License and Orders Committee.

Petition—Of Smith & Birch, for the refunding to them of the sum of \$71.78, representing unused portion previous to August 23, 1906, of liquor tax for quarter ending September 30, 1906.

To the Police Committee.

Petition—Of Mrs. John Barrett, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$3.00, paid the Poundkeeper September 28, 1906, for the release of one cow alleged to have been illegally impounded.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petition—Of Property Owners owning lots fronting on and adjacent to Nineteenth avenue, for the repeal of Ordinance No. 1675, declaring Nineteenth avenue a boulevard.

Of Property Owners owning property fronting on Nineteenth avenue from H street to Ocean avenue, for the repeal of Ordinance No. 1675, declaring Nineteenth avenue a boulevard.

Of the Ingleside Improvement Club, for adequate sewer service in the district bounded by Ocean avenue, Lake View avenue, San Jose avenue and the Ingleside Racetrack.

Communication—From the Market Street and Eureka Valley Improvement Club, requesting that no further postponement be granted for the completion of street work on Diamond street between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets.

To the Special Committee on Water Supply.

Communication—From Wm. Muir, submitting exposition of the McKinstry watershed with its alleged advantages as a water supply for San Francisco, over that of other systems.

File.

The Report of the Juvenile Detention Home for the month ending September 30, 1906, was received, read and ordered placed on file.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending that the sum of \$1200 be made available for the purpose of repairing the Charles-street bridge.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of performing the following street work, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property.

1. That a 12-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed at Waller street and Buena Vista avenue.

2. That stone curbs, artificial stone sidewalks and a basalt block pavement be constructed on Brannan street from Ninth street to Potrero avenue, and on Potrero avenue from Brannan street to Division street, including the intersection of Potrero avenue, Brannan street and Division street.

Also, recommending the ordering of the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on Palm avenue between Euclid avenue and California street the construction of redwood curbs and macadamized pavement on the roadway and sidewalks of Eighteenth avenue between Point Lobos avenue and Clement street, the construction of redwood curbs and a macadamized pavement on the roadway and sidewalks of Twenty-ninth avenue between Point Lobos avenue and A street, and the construction of a 15-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances on Eighteenth avenue between the northerly line of Clement street and a point 150 feet northerly therefrom.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$600 be set aside and appropriated out of the proceeds of the sale of street bonds for the purpose of restoring the curbing along Ellis street from Stockton street to Larkin street.

Also, recommending the construction of an 8-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances along Haight street between Steiner and Pierce streets, at an estimated cost to the City and County of \$2000.

Also, transmitting map showing lands granted to the City and County of San Francisco by the Pope Estate Company, for the opening of Shrader,

Cole and Belvedere streets from the southerly line or Alma avenue to the northerly line of Seventeenth street, and of Rivoli avenue from the westerly line of Belvedere street produced, to the westerly line of the Pope Estate Company's land, together with deeds to said property.

Also, recommending that J. J. Dowling & Company be granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after October 7, 1906, within which to complete their contract for the repaving of the roadway of the crossing of Sanchez and Twenty-third streets.

MESSAGE FROM MAYOR.

Notifying the Board of Supervisors of the removal of F. A. Maestretti from the Office of Commissioner of the Board of Public Works.

The following Message from his Honor the Mayor was received, read and ordered entered at large in the Journal:

Mayor's Office, City and County of San Francisco—Executive Department.
To the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco:

Pursuant to the provisions of Sections 18 and 20 of Article XVI of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, I hereby notify you that I have this day removed F. A. Maestretti from the office of Commissioner and Member of the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco, for cause, as specified and stated in notice to him of such removal, herewith attached and made a part hereof.

JAMES L. GALLAGHER,

Mayor of the City and County of San, Francisco.

Dated at San Francisco, California, October 4, 1906.

Mayor's Office, City and County of San Francisco—Executive Department.
F. A. Maestretti, Esq., Commissioner and Member of the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco.

Sir: The ineffectiveness of the work of the Board of Public Works under your control and direction as President during the past year, and especially since the fire of April last, has been so apparent that it has evoked much adverse notice and criticism on the part of the press and of the public generally. Your lamentable failure even to clear the streets and sidewalks of the important sections of the City of the debris which has littered them for more than five months has caused much complaint, and is entirely inexcusable.

The same may be said of many other branches of the work in your Department.

As the Executive head of that important Department of the Municipality, your work has been unsatisfactory. Your resignation last evening of the Presidency of the Board was undoubtedly due to a recognition of this fact. However, such resignation does not remedy the conditions of which complaint is made. It is obvious that the City requires at this time at the head of the Board of Public Works, a man of wide business experience and of large and thorough knowledge of the practical work to be done under the supervision of the Board. I believe an immediate change is necessary.

Therefore, pursuant to the provisions of Sections 18 and 20 of Article XVI of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, you are hereby removed from the office of Commissioner and Member of the Board of Public Works of the City and County of San Francisco, upon the ground of inefficiency, which is hereby assigned as the cause of such removal.

Yours respectfully,

JAMES L. GALLAGHER,

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

Dated at San Francisco, California, October 4, 1906.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payment, Mt. Vernon Avenue Bridge.

Resolution No. 415 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$11,156.00 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company for construction of bridge at Mount Vernon and San Jose avenues, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Authorizing Payment, Sewer Work.

Resolution No. 416 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2357 to be made out of the "Sewer Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund in payment to Williams & Belser for construction of sewer in crossing

of Van Ness avenue and Vallejo street, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Authorization Payment, Motor Car.

Resolution No. 417 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1900 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Boyer Motor Car Company for one motor car as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Prohibiting Sale of Adulterated Drugs.

Bill No. 80, Ordinance No. 76 (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance to prohibit the sale of adulterated drugs and medicines; defining 'adulteration', 'drug'; prohibiting the sale of methyl alcohol in drugs and medicines; providing for the enforcement thereof, and penalties for the violation thereof."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

The presentation of Bills and Accounts was ordered deferred temporarily.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Paving Marshall Square.

On motion of Supervisor Sanderson: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4681.17 to be made out of the Public Building Fund in payment to City Street Improvement Company for paving, curbing, etc., in front of Marshall Square, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ordering Construction of Sewer in Haight Street between Steiner and Pierce Streets.

Also, Bill No. 82, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of an eight-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances in Haight street between Steiner and Pierce streets; approving and adopting specifications therefor, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing said work at an estimated cost to the City and County of two thousand dollars (\$2000.00)."

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Transferring Various Funds.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. 418 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Auditor and Treasurer be and are hereby requested and directed to transfer to the credit of the Surplus Fund of 1905-1906 the following amounts from funds as hereinafter stated, to wit:

Advertising Redemption Fund	\$135.00
Duplicate Tax Fund	10,000.00
Nineteenth Avenue Extension Fund	236.53
Potrero Avenue Extension Fund	371.92
Overpayment of Personal Property Tax Fund	5,837.39
Coupons Park Improvement Bond Fund	534.44
Sinking Fund Park Improvement Bond Fund	315.22
Sinking Fund Dupont Street Bonds	158.02
Tearing Up Streets Fund ...	10,000.00
General Fund, 1899-1900	1,751.68
Hospital and School Building Fund, 1902-1903	25,000.00
Public Building Fund, Telegraph Hill Bonds	25,000.00
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	\$79,340.20

Further resolved, That the sum of three hundred and fifty thousand (\$350,000) dollars be and is hereby transferred from the Surplus Fund of 1905-1906 to the General Fund of 1906-1907.

Providing for Reconstruction of Fire Houses.

Also, Resolution No. 419 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of fifty thousand (\$50,000) dollars be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Surplus Fund for the purpose of rebuilding quarters for the burned-out companies of the San Francisco Fire Department.

The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to construct said quarters on such Fire Department lots and in such manner as the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department may direct, the work of construction to be commenced as expeditiously as possible.

The attention of the Treasurer and Auditor be and is hereby called to the provisions of this Resolution.

Install Telephone.

On motion of Supervisor Duffey: Resolution No. 420 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company be and is hereby requested to install a telephone in the residence of Mr. Jno. J. Tierney, No. 1333 Utah street, the same to be used by him in the performance of duties as head carpenter under the Board of Public Works.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$28,380, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 7514 to 7778 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Duffey, Gallagher, Kelly, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—11.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 4:30 o'clock, adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

Appointment of Supervisor Geo. F. Duffey to Office of Commissioner of Board of Public Works.

At the conclusion of the meeting of the Board of Supervisors, Acting Mayor Jas. L. Gallagher appointed Supervisor Geo. F. Duffey to fill the vacancy caused by the removal of F. A. Maestretti from the office of Commissioner and Member of the Board of Public Works.

In accepting the appointment Supervisor Duffey thanked the Mayor for the honor conferred and in a brief address stated that while he regretted to sever his associations with his fellow Supervisors, he would nevertheless in the new field to which he was appointed, endeavor to serve the public to the best of his ability.

Supervisor Coleman expressed the appreciation of the Board of Supervisors over the appointment and commended in highest terms the ability of Mr. Duffey.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, October 8, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

CALLING OF ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Quorum present.

His Honor Acting Mayor Gallagher presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of the meetings of October 1st and October 4, 1906, were read and approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

Communication—From the Pacific Surety Company, enclosing a claim in the sum of \$90.00 for damages alleged to have been caused by the destruction of a plate glass window in premises northeast corner Golden Gate avenue and Larkin street, through mob violence.

Petition—Of Mary Ann Murray for the refund of the sum of \$8.00, being for unearned rent for lease of premises No. 206 Franklin street, Library site.

To the Fire Committee.

Petition—Of Healy Tibbitts & Co., for permission to explode blasts during the process of removing debris in premises situated on the southwest corner of Second and Folsom streets.

Protest—Of Henry E. Bothin, against granting permission to blast in premises known as Palace Hotel, Market and New Montgomery streets.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Protest—Of Property Owners, against the establishment of a stable in the district bounded by Hermann street, Duboce avenue, Elgin Park, Pearl street and Valencia street.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Communication—From Geo. Tapp, recommending that the work of clearing debris from public streets be performed by aid of machinery.

Petition—Of the Southern Pacific Co., for railroad franchise on Fifteenth avenue South, "Q" street South, and other streets.

To the Special Committee on Water Supply.

Communication—From C. W. Williams, offering to install a double pipe system for the proposed salt water supply for fire protection.

To the Joint Committee on Water Supply and Fire.

Communication—From Merchants' Association, transmitting certain suggestions and recommending the passage of an ordinance for the construction of an auxiliary water system for fire protection.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and reports from City and County officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Committee on Equalization of Assessments.

Communication from the County Clerk, enclosing a letter from Adjutant General, National Guard of California, stating that he has not received the Military Roll of 1905, as required by the Political Code.

To the Police Committee.

From the Grand Jury, reporting its investigations regarding street car service.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

Requisition, from the Sheriff, for the furnishing of certain hardware.

To the Finance Committee.

From the Sheriff, with five notices changing terms of lease from month to month, of premises northwest corner of California and Webster streets.

From the Grand Jury, transmitting a report of its Police Committee, urging the immediate erection of a proper Police Station.

From the Department of Electricity, requesting an additional appropriation of \$31,050 to provide for the proper conduct and maintenance of said Department.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the construction of a sewer, with appurtenances, in Dore street between Bryant and Brannan streets, at an estimated cost to the City and County of \$1600.

Also, recommending that it be authorized to enter into contract for the construction of piling for the Seventh street sewer between Market and Howard streets, and that the sum of \$6000 be set aside for the doing of said work.

Also, recommending that Flinn and Treacy be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after November 4, 1906, within which to complete their contract for the doing of certain street work on Seventh street, from Howard to Market street, and on Market street from Seventh to Jones street.

Also, recommending that John Spargo be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after June 22, 1906, to complete the work of constructing stone sidewalks on Tenth avenue between Point Lobos avenue and "A" street.

Also, recommending that Williams & Belser be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after October 4, 1906, within which to complete the contract of repaving Mission street from Fifth to Sixth street.

Also, recommending the conditional acceptance of the southwesterly one-half of Third street between Berry and Channel streets, paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending the expediency of constructing artificial stone sidewalks on Waller street between Stanyan and Clayton streets; on Stanyan street between Frederick and Carl streets, and on Frederick street between Cole and Clayton streets.

Also, recommending the expediency of constructing artificial stone side-

walks on Twelfth avenue between H and J streets, and constructing stone curbs on the four angular corners of Twelfth avenue and I street, and artificial stone sidewalks on the south-easterly and southwesterly corners of the intersection of Twelfth avenue and H street.

NEW BUSINESS (Out of Order).

Adopted.

Under suspension of the rules Supervisor Boxton introduced the following Resolution:

Spur Track Permittees Required to File Copies of Permits.

Whereas, It appears that the records of the issuance of permits heretofore granted for the construction and maintenance of spur tracks in the City and County of San Francisco are incomplete on account of the recent destruction by fire of the files and documents in the Clerk's office of the Board of Supervisors providing for the issuance of such permits; therefore

Resolved, That all persons, firms or corporations holding permits for the construction or maintenance of spur tracks, or using or maintaining spur tracks in said City and County of San Francisco, be and they are hereby required to file in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors within ten (10) days after the adoption of this Resolution, the original documents or certified copies thereof showing the authority for the granting or use of such spur track privileges, in order to complete and restore the records and files in this office respecting such grants and privileges.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Boxton as Resolution No. 421 (New Series).

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Recommending Sale of Sewer and Street Bonds.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Public Utilities having under consideration the question of sale of bonds of the City and County of San Francisco, begs leave to report in favor of disposing of Sewer Bonds to the amount of \$1,086,200 and of Street Bonds to the amount of \$486,000.

Said amounts represent the fifth and tenth series inclusive of Sewer Bonds and the fifteenth to the twenty-sixth series inclusive, of Street Bonds.

The imperative necessity for the sale of both Sewer and Streets Bonds

at this time in order to permit of the immediate use of the proceeds thereof in the rehabilitation of the city, is apparent.

Once the proceeds of the bonds are available the work of construction and re-construction of sewers and of the improvement of streets can be commenced without delay, thus enabling owners of property, particularly in the burnt district, to improve their holdings.

The credit of the United States Government now stands pledged as security for the bonds of the City and County, the Secretary of the Treasury having issued an order, in response to the request of your Honorable Board, to accept our bonds as collateral security for deposits in National Banks, or in the Sub-Treasury.

This places our local bonds on a parity with United States Bonds, and as the same are exempted from taxation, both State and Municipal, their ready sale is assured.

Your Committee recommends that the aforesaid bonds be offered for sale on Monday, November 5th, 1906, after advertising a "Notice of Sale" in the official newspaper for a period of ten days.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. BOXTON.

DANIEL G. COLEMAN.

SAM DAVIS.

P. M. MCGUSHIN.

JAS. F. KELLY.

Read and ordered filed.

(Note—Bill No. 84, providing for sale of bonds, recorded hereinafter under order of "New Business.")

Intention to Open Streets Through Cemeteries.

Report of Special Committee.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors, of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: Your Special Committee to which was referred Resolution No. — (New Series) declaring it to be to the public interest and necessity that public streets be opened and extended through Calvary, Laurel Hill, Odd Fellows, Masonic and other cemeteries for the purpose of affording ingress and egress to the territory lying beyond their confines, and directing the City Engineer to outline a comprehensive plan for the opening and extension of said streets, and also to report the cost of the land necessary to be acquired under said plan, respectfully returns said Resolution to your Hon-

orable Board with the recommendation that the same be passed.

ANDREW M. WILSON,
L. A. REA,

Special Committee.

Read and on motion of Supervisor Wilson adopted.

Resolution of Intention Adopted.

Thereupon the following Resolution was adopted as Resolution No. 422 (New Series):

Whereas, The Board of Supervisors did, by Ordinance No. 25, approved March 30, 1900, prohibit the further burial of the dead from and after August 1, 1901, within the City and County of San Francisco, on the ground that said burial was dangerous to life and detrimental to public health, and

Whereas, In consonance with such policy, and with the growth of the City it is necessary to extend easterly and westerly and northerly and southerly the streets now abutting Calvary, Laurel Hill, Odd Fellows, Masonic and other cemeteries for the purpose of affording convenient ingress and egress to the territory lying beyond their confines; now therefore

Resolved, That this Board declare, and it hereby does declare, that public interest and necessity demand the opening and extension of public streets through said cemeteries, and that it is its intention to acquire for public use, under the law of eminent domain, as defined in the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, the lands essential and necessary for this purpose.

Further resolved, That the City Engineer be and he is hereby directed to outline a plan comprehensive, or modified, conserving the best interests of the City and County, of the public and of owners of private property, for the opening and extension of said streets, and also to report to this Board an estimate of the cost of the land necessary to be acquired under said plan.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES — (Continued).

The Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee by Supervisor Rea presented a report on various matters referred, which report was received, read and ordered placed on file.

Relating to Criticism of Selection for Examination and Submission to Electors, of Bay Cities Water Company's Source of Water Supply for San Francisco.

Motion.

Supervisor Boxtton moved that the

Supplemental Report of the Committee on water supply in reply to newspaper and personal criticism of selection for examination and submission to electors of Bay Cities Water Company's source of water supply be now considered and that Wm. S. Tevis, President of said Company, be granted the privilege of the floor.

So ordered.

Privilege of Floor.

Thereupon Wm. S. Tevis read an address denying in emphatic terms the charges made by "The Bulletin," and by Ex-Mayor Jas. D. Phelan, that collusion existed between City and County officials and the Bay Cities Water Company in the matter of selecting the water supply of said Company for submission to the electors of San Francisco to acquire the same as a municipal system.

In course of his address Mr. Tevis stated that Frank S. Washburn, an eminent engineer formerly connected with the Croton Water Company had been retained as Consulting Engineer and Edwin Duryea, also renowned in his profession, was employed as Chief Engineer of the Bay Cities Water Company and that the result of the investigations of these two gentlemen had demonstrated that said Company owned and was in position to develop the best and most available Sierra water supply.

In reply to Acting Mayor Gallagher, Mr. Tevis stated that if the Board desired it, his Company would furnish the original existing reports of the Engineers on the American-Consumers Water Supply, that in the re-compilation of the results thereof, many of the original reports having been destroyed by the fire. More than \$2,500,000 had been expended in improvements thus far by the Company, the land and water rights had cost in excess of \$1,000,000 and it was proposed to expend between \$4,000,000 and \$5,000,000 additional in developing the supply.

J. E. Bennett, Attorney, representing the Bay Cities Water Company, was granted the privilege of the floor and stated that he was advised by Congressman J. C. Needham that the views of the Secretary of the Interior Department of the United States remained unchanged in the matter of denying San Francisco reservoir sites rights-of-way at Lake Eleanor and Hetch Hetchy Valley in the Yosemite National Park.

ADDRESS OF MR. WILLIAM S. TEVIS, PRESIDENT BAY CITIES WATER COMPANY, TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE CITY OF SAN FRANCISCO. OCTOBER 8th, 1906.

THE WATER QUESTION.

At a meeting of the Supervisors held in the City Hall, October 8, 1906, and after the supplemental report of the special committee on water supply had been received, upon motion of Supervisor Boxtton, the rules were suspended for its immediate consideration. Also the privileges of the floor were extended to Mr. William S. Tevis, President of the Bay Cities Water Company, who then addressed the Board as follows:

Mr. Mayor and Gentlemen of the Board of Supervisors of San Francisco:

I appear before you as President of the Bay Cities Water Company, to reply to certain inspired and false statements made in connection with the proposition of my company to the municipality and which appear to me to have been made in the direct interest of the present private water monopoly of San Francisco. For it is certain that no such infamous falsehoods would be invented by anyone not personally and particularly interested in the profits of the city's private water company.

I wish at the outset, however, to thank you for the fairness of your position while seeking to secure for the city the best and most available water supply as speedily and as cheaply as possible. There are fair and honest men who have perhaps been somewhat inclined to give ear to the abuse and villification with which public officials have been steadily showered by certain antagonistic newspapers; but the developments of the past few days, the inexcusable and atrocious falsehoods that have been manufactured and expressed on the water question, and the unfounded attacks that have been wantonly made upon your body as well as upon my company would convince any unprejudiced person that all past attacks have most probably been as baseless. In order that there may be no possible misapprehension, I wish to state in the most positive language which is capable of expressing thought, that never at any time have I, or anyone in my company, been approached by any person, official or private individual seeking any compensation, fixed or contingent, with relation to the

water proposition; nor have I, nor any member of my company, ever agreed or promised, directly or indirectly, to give any compensation or reward for any vote of any member of your Board or for any services of any municipal officer or of any person connected with your administration. And when Mr. James D. Phelan, ex-Mayor of San Francisco, or the disreputable Evening Bulletin makes any statements to the contrary I say, with the fullest appreciation of the import and responsibility of my words, that they have deliberately lied.

I want the people of San Francisco to understand this plain talk, and so I mince no words; and I am personally and pecuniarily responsible for this statement which I now make in justice to you as public officials and to my company offering this proposition, and to myself as a citizen of some standing and repute in the community, whose respect I think I enjoy and wish to retain.

The water enterprise in which I and my associates are interested and which we are offering to the city, can, I sincerely believe, be established and operated with much more profit to ourselves as a private enterprise for water supply and power development than would accrue from its sale to the city. But we have offered it and are willing to sell it, partly as a matter of business, partly as a matter of civic interest, and partly as a matter of personal pride; and now stirred by the malicious and libelous attacks upon our properties and on our personal honor and integrity, we propose to defend them with every ability and power at our command.

Of all the sources of supply submitted, I confidently assert that the one submitted by the Bay Cities Water Company more nearly approaches ideal perfection in meeting the stated requirements than any other source, including the famous and illusory Tuolumne or Hetch Hetchy supply, of whose visionary virtues Mr. Phelan and his associates have been so enamored. These men, who for ten years have kept the city on "the waiting list" by their obstinacy in this direction may safely be accused of being largely responsible for the destruction of the greater part of our fair city.

In the first place, the Tuolumne or so-called Hetch Hetchy system is one that could never be owned by the city; it would at best have merely a license

to use the water, which could be revoked at any time. In the second place, such license could in all probability never be obtained, and if obtained it would then be necessary to litigate for years with private owners of lands about the Lake Eleanor reservoir site, before the city could enjoy its use.

In the third place, to call the Tuolumne or Hetch Hetchy system a "free" system is a misnomer; to secure the necessary lands for reservoirs and dams (privately owned and absolutely necessary in connection with that system as laid out by Mr. Phelan or Mr. Grunsky), and to erect the necessary structures, such as dams, ditches, flumes, etc., to a point where the pipe line to San Francisco would begin would undoubtedly cost far more than is asked by our company for an absolute title to more water and to all the necessary lands and sites as offered by us to the city—which includes all the improvements for seventy millions of gallons daily supply completed to the point where the conduit begins. In addition, I confidently assert that there will be a saving of at least three million five hundred thousand dollars in the conduit system from our supply over that of the Tuolumne or Hetch Hetchy. As a business proposition, irrespective of titles and lands and water, it would be cheaper and more economical in every way to buy the Bay Cities Water Company's system than to get the Tuolumne for nothing, even if there was no obstacle in the way of getting it.

The Bay Cities Water Company propose to furnish the waters of the famous Lake Tahoe region, known the world over for their crystal and virgin purity—in quality at least equal to if not the superior of any that could be obtained from the Tuolumne, and in quantities far in excess of any which could be developed from the Tuolumne or Hetch Hetchy source; with clear titles to lands, water and power rights, and without robbing adjacent irrigationists, farmers and inhabitants of much needed water. This water can be utilized at once, and within two years the people of San Francisco can be drinking in their own houses the purest mountain water from the limpid streams and glacial lakes of the Sierras. It would probably take at least twice this time to determine

whether the city could even hope to secure the right to use the Tuolumne or Hetch Hetchy system—even temporarily.

Those who favor municipal ownership of water (including Mr. James D. Phelan) have always contended that municipally owned utilities should be administered just as private business is administered. This is certainly a good doctrine. But where is the private enterprise that would spend millions of dollars on a water system without lands or titles—based merely on a revocable license to use temporarily the waters of the river or of the lakes under Government control, subject to all the vicissitudes of political changes in party government and in the demands of local population? If, on account of insistent protests of neighboring farmers, agriculturists and Congressmen, the securing of the rights have been so long delayed, what is likely to happen when more farmers, more agriculturists and more Congressmen take up the cudgels to protect the surrounding lands from being deprived of this water?

The merits of the proposition submitted by my company must of course be determined by your own engineers. We court the most thorough and competent investigation. We do not wish the city to take a water supply which would not in every particular and in every point withstand the most careful and critical scrutiny. Our own engineers—among the most distinguished men in their profession in this country—have assured us on all these points by careful detailed reports. A city's water supply is not for one day, but practically for eternity. We as men of family, of affairs, and of some standing in this community in future years could not afford to have it truthfully said of us that we fastened upon the city a water supply inadequate or imperfect or wrong in any particular. And as to the adequacy, purity and availability of the supply offered by us, we are willing and able to give bond for any amount which may be deemed necessary. We hope this statement will in some degree neutralize the blackmailing comments of the venal evening newspaper and its contributor, Mr. James D. Phelan, in connection with the municipal water supply.

And whether the city eventually selects my company's proffered supply or not, I wish to assure you, Gentlemen of the Board, that I will stand

with you in any matter you may determine in relation to the question of a municipal water supply, irrespective of any private interests of my own, because I know from my dealings thus far that you have been honest and square, and actuated by the sole desire to secure an immediate water supply and the best possible results for the city.

Gentlemen, I have the honor to thank you for your attention.

At the close of Mr. Tevis' address and in reply to questions by Mayor Gallagher, Mr. Tevis said:

This talk that our company asks \$10,500,000 for our water rights, is mere rot. More than \$2,000,000 have already been spent in the improvement of these properties; we have spent hundreds of thousands of dollars on engineering investigations, which is all saved to the city; and we have, by our proposition, undertaken to expend several additional millions in further improvements for the city's benefit.

FURTHER QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS WERE AS FOLLOWS:

THE MAYOR: As you have information appertaining to that subject, would you kindly tell us what would come to us if we purchased that (the Tuolumne) system?

MR. TEVIS: Absolutely nothing, excepting a reservoir site where water might be stored—the Hetch Hetchy valley. That is one thing. Another necessity would be the site called the Lake Eleanor, bordered by privately owned lands, that would have to be bought before you could utilize them.

THE MAYOR: You have probably noticed in reports coming through the press, that we could get the Hetch Hetchy system for nothing. What truth is in that statement?

MR. TEVIS: Absolutely none.

THE MAYOR: What would we get free if we went after that system?

MR. TEVIS: Simply the right to store water in one site.

THE MAYOR: Anything more? The right to use the water?

MR. TEVIS: Nothing more.

THE MAYOR: Could the rights to the reservoir sites ever be revoked?

MR. TEVIS: Undoubtedly, at any time.

THE MAYOR: What would come to this municipality by buying your system?

MR. TEVIS: You get the inalienable right to the use of the water; you

get a quantity, I say without any hesitation whatever, of upwards of four hundred million gallons a day; you get all of the improvements to deliver seventy million gallons to the conduit; you get the absolute title to the lands and rights-of-way for ditches, pipe lines, flumes, etc. In fact, a thoroughly developed supply system. In addition, there is the power. That is something that we have not said much about. I now say freely to you that there can be developed upon that watershed not less than thirty thousand horse power, all of which the city will own absolutely unincumbered, free and clear.

THE MAYOR: As to the pipe line, Mr. Tevis. What is the approximate difference in the length of pipe line between the Hetch Hetchy and the Bay Cities?

MR. TEVIS: The conduit system would be eleven miles shorter from our proposition than in the case of the Tuolumne and would cost in the neighborhood of \$3,500,000 less.

Supplemental Report of Special Committee on Water Supply.

Thereupon the following Report was read and unanimously adopted:

In view of certain false and malicious comments made by ex-Mayor James D. Phelan and his kept evening newspaper, on the action of this Board relative to a proposed Municipal Water Supply, your special committee on water supply deems it advisable to file a supplemental report which is herewith presented:

To the Board of Supervisors of San Francisco:

Gentlemen—The present Board of Supervisors, and, indeed, the entire city administration were chosen by the electors upon the good faith of their distinct pledge that during their official life they would take steps which, if approved by the voters, would result in freeing the city from the thrall of the water monopoly which has been absorbing its vitality for half a century, and would put the city in the way of procuring from the Sierra Nevada Mountains, through a municipally owned water plant, a supply of pure mountain water sufficient to the needs of a population of 2,000,000 souls. This pledge still stands and stands unredeemed, the reasons therefor being hereinafter set forth.

Thirty Years of Effort to Get Municipal Water Supply.

The question of procurement of a

municipal water supply has been before the people of San Francisco for upwards of thirty years, and never at any time has it reached a stage warranting the submission to the electors of any proposition for the purchase of a source of supply and the construction of a water plant. As long ago as 1877, after a canvass of the Sierra sources as well as those near at hand, the Supervisors decided upon the purchase of the Calaveras reservoir site for the impounding of waters from the Alameda side of the bay, with a view to bringing them thence to and throughout the city in a municipal plant. But before they could get the matter shaped up to submit to the people for a vote on bonds, the Spring Valley purchased the Calaveras and all that went with it, frustrating the city's plans, and there the Calaveras lies to this day unused.

A Sierra Source Demanded.

The municipal water system, however, continued a live question; and in 1900 the Supervisors again addressed themselves to it. Meanwhile the sentiment of the people that the drainage from the hills about the bay, densely populated as they are with farms or cities or pastured by stock, was not the water which should be furnished to San Francisco under a municipal system, became deep-seated, and emphasis was laid on the fact that within a hundred miles or so from the city and in the Sierra Nevada Mountains were inexhaustible supplies of water of a purity equal to any in the world; and that the distance which these waters would have to be transported, considerable as it was, was not greater, in fact less, than that over which the water supplies of many other cities are brought, and that too at a cost not prohibitive, particularly when consideration was given to purity, abundance and freedom from the extortion of a private monopoly.

The Death Rate and the Water Supply.

It was pointed out, also, that the influence of drinking water upon the health of the people as shown by the Health Reports, was a fact not realized by the people generally. That compared with such cities as Portland, Oregon, and Manitou, Colorado—which have pure mountain water—the death rate of San Francisco made a lamentable showing; for possessing a physical situation equal or excelling either of those cities, San Francisco had an average annual death rate of nearly

nineteen per 1000 of population while the other cities named had less than seven. And yet those cities had greater death rates than had San Francisco before they were provided with pure mountain water. Contemplating these figures, therefore, it became apparent that San Francisco was losing about 5000 of its inhabitants annually, whose death seemed to be more or less directly chargeable to the water furnished by the existing private monopoly whose machinations had thus far defeated every effort put forth by the city for a municipal supply of purity, plenty and economy.

Propositions of Grunsky's Examination.

In 1900, during ex-Mayor Phelan's incumbency, but only in deference to an overwhelming popular demand, the Supervisors again started upon a quest by advertising for propositions for a source to become the headworks of a municipal water system. Nearly a score of propositions were submitted. They seemed to comprise all the sources of possible adequacy within one hundred and fifty miles of the city save only those sources then and now in use. The investigation was conducted by City Engineer Grunsky. It employed several parties in the field and continued over two years. Lake Tahoe and all of the rivers of the Sierras within a distance of 150 miles of the city—save only those comprised within the proposition of the Bay Cities Water Company now pending—were carefully examined and reported upon; as also were the Feather River on the north and the Tuolumne on the south, and most of the great streams tributary to and draining the Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys. All of the most likely ones having extensive surveys and estimates made upon them, and all save the Tuolumne were rejected. The report of these occupies many pages of the Municipal Reports of 1900-01 and 1902. These reports have been of great assistance to us in the study of the subject, and have facilitated greatly the elimination of recently submitted propositions that have already been weighed and found wanting. The net result of the Phelan-Grunsky investigations and of the efforts put forth by the Board of Supervisors, was to settle upon three points: First, that the city's present water supply was execrable and should be superseded as soon as practicable by a municipal system; second, that the supply of the future should come

from the Sierra Nevada Mountains; and third, that it should come from the Tuolumne River and the Hetch-Hetchy, if they could be procured. Another point they seem to have settled, and that is: that the Tuolumne-Hetch-Hetchy source could not be had. **The Tuolumne or Hetch Hetchy Project.**

The Tuolumne lay furthest to the south of all of the several projects and at the extreme southern end of the Sierra zone which would be accessible to San Francisco in point of distance. Physically, it was not better than several other propositions submitted, but it apparently had the seeming merit in the eyes of its advocates of being obtainable to the city without cost, while any of the other projects would have to be purchased.

The primary essentials to a water-source are amply rainfall and adequate storage reservoirs. There must be great basins on the watersheds in which, in time of copious precipitation, the waters may be collected and held to supply the draft of the city made during the succeeding dry periods. On the Tuolumne there was but one large reservoir site known as the Hetch-Hetchy; this was supplemented by a smaller site partially occupied by a lake known as Lake Eleanor. Both of these reservoir sites and the watersheds tributary to them, lay in the Yosemite National Park, which is Government property under the control of the Secretary of Interior and to which no title can possibly be secured. The Supervisors of San Francisco, however, applied to the Secretary for a revocable permit to use these reservoir sites; and, had it been granted, would probably have expended millions of dollars belonging to the people in their improvement.

The City's Application for the Hetch Hetchy Resisted.

The city's application was resisted on two grounds, first: That the use by the city of the valleys forming the reservoir sites was incompatible with the uses of the reservation as a National Park. Second: That if the areas demanded were to be used as reservoirs they were needed by the people of the San Joaquin Valley to store water for purposes of irrigation, supplemental to the irrigation systems then in existence and having paramount rights to the use of the water. Particularly was this so in the Modesto and Turlock Irrigation Districts, where nearly 72,000 acres had been redeemed and over

\$2,500,000 spent in irrigation works. The Government at Washington was shown that the water proposed to be impounded in the reservoirs for the city's use would be all the available water that could be gathered upon the watersheds during that period of the year between melting of snows and the fall of rains of the following season, a term of approximately six months; and that the quantity was greatly needed by the irrigationists, whose irrigation systems contained no storage reservoirs whatever. Attention, too, was called to the fact that the policy of the National Government was favorable to irrigators; and that in all the irrigation schemes inaugurated by the Government itself under the Reclamation laws, construction was commenced by building dams in the creation of storage reservoirs. The great Turlock and Modesto irrigation systems, built by the people themselves without Government aid, had no storage reservoirs, and those of Hetch-Hetchy and Lake Eleanor were or would be naturally a part of that system. It was contended, too, that the uses of the reservoirs by San Francisco were wholly incompatible with the uses of the irrigationists.

Insufficient Stored Waters for Uses of Both City and Irrigationists.

The people of the irrigation districts assert that the ultimate quantity possible of storage in the two reservoir sites would be 67,000 million gallons. Of this quantity, the city using in time 200 million gallons per day, would take 48,000 million gallons, leaving but 19,000 million gallons for summer uses of the districts. As the entire 67,000 million gallons would allow but quantity sufficient for but two irrigations on 100,000 of the 271,000 acres of land—to which it would be applied—it can be seen what would be meant to the districts by reducing this quantity to 19,000 million gallons.

Sincerity of Past Administrations in Advocating the Tuolumne Impeached.

Whether there was at any time any sincerity on the part of the past municipal administrations in advocating the Tuolumne project, has long been a matter of grave doubt. The indications have been that the proponents of the project realized from the start that it was unlikely that the city could get the rights it desired in the National Park, and that the scheme, like the purchase of the Calaveras, was a Spring Valley ruse to prevent the city

from ever acquiring a municipal water supply. It will be remembered that when there were hopes of procuring the Tuolumne the Spring Valley Water Company sent agents and attorneys to Washington to combat it; and that when there has been a prospect of securing anything else Spring Valley emissaries have urged the Tuolumne as the only worthy source of supply. It is asserted with apparently good foundation that the Spring Valley Water Company, realizing the impossibility of preventing an agitation among the people which might rapidly develop into the acquisition of a municipal source, concluded to direct the minds of the people and bind up the city, by a resolution of the Supervisors, to a project which it well knew could never be procured. A direct charge to this effect in an open letter addressed to ex-Mayor Phelan—who was the head of the city administration which originated the Tuolumne idea—was recently made in public print by an eminent engineer, Mr. Russell L. Dunn. Mr. Dunn is himself one of the proponents of Sierra sources, and has accordingly given much study to the water question. As, however, the present supervisors have taken up a project other than his own, it can well be inferred that his remarks and accusations do not proceed from any self-interest. In his open letter to Mr. Phelan, Mr. Dunn says:

"The Hetch-Hetchy system was not originated to get a water supply for San Francisco. It was originated to prevent San Francisco from getting a water supply. That it has been successful in accomplishing its real purpose for so many years is a tribute to your ingeniousness."

Not only are Mr. Dunn's charges in accord with the circumstantial case against the sincerity of the pro-Tuolumne agitators, but they are borne out by the spectacle presented at the last municipal campaign, when the head of the ticket and the party opposed to Mayor Schmitz and ourselves was pledged in favor of the Tuolumne; and yet that party was notoriously dominated by Spring Valley men; and, when it became apparent that the city would carry for the Schmitz ticket the Spring Valley elements became desperate and caused one of its attorneys to make upon the public rostrum hysterical and wild denunciations of the opposing party, in charges which were immediately proven to be false. This conduct

on the part of this Spring Valley Water Company and its attorney, presented the same type of panic that has since seized the leader of the Tuolumne agitation when the present Board of Supervisors decided to take up a water proposition which the city really can procure.

That the campaign of falsehood which has been opened up against the present Board of Supervisors by James D. Phelan and the San Francisco Bulletin upon the ground that we are considering another water project than the Tuolumne—that this proceeds directly or indirectly from the Spring Valley Water Company is to us obvious. This is exactly the way that a water monopoly fights the public—always under cover, never in the open. Is it conceivable that the Spring Valley Water Company, with its properties now seriously menaced by a competing municipal water system, is doing nothing whatever to stultify and oppose the municipal movement, to discredit the Mayor and Supervisors, and to endeavor to prepare the public mind to defeat the bonds when the electors are called upon to vote thereon? Such a thing is impossible. And yet who has heard the Spring Valley Water Company, as such, say a word against the municipal project? Scarcely a year ago San Francisco witnessed the spectacle of the people of Oakland trying to put in a municipal water supply. The project was fought by the Contra Costa Water Company with every instrument of conceivable efficiency, yet throughout the whole bond campaign neither the Contra Costa, nor one of its directors ever appeared in any way in public. The monopoly worked through its emissaries—men who pretended to the public they had no interest in the issue, that they were not opposed to municipal ownership of water, but that they were opposed to the particular project presented, and were fighting it in their capacity as citizens from the standpoint of their general interest in civic affairs! This is exactly the attitude of James D. Phelan in his present efforts, which certainly appear to us to be in aid of the Spring Valley Water Company.

The Tuolumne Would Now Be Regarded as Insufficient in Water.

It may be said further that at the time the Tuolumne was proposed it was not contemplated with a view of supplying the city in excess of 60,000,000 gallons daily. It was then pro-

posed that the entire supply of the Spring Valley Water Company would be added to that of the Tuolumne, giving the city approximately 100 million gallons daily; and that this would be sufficient. In view of the fact, however, that Lobos Creek and Lake Merced, each furnishing three million gallons daily, have been cut out of the Spring Valley system; and that the supply from the Alameda side of the bay has shrunk perhaps another three million gallons daily through the Clough decision; and the whole supply of that region placed in jeopardy through suits of land owners to restrain the company from diverting the waters to the ruination of their lands; and in view of the further fact that such waters as the peninsula can produce are so badly needed by the rapidly growing settlements between San Francisco and Redwood City, that Spring Valley's expansion there is impossible and Alameda has already carried her case to the courts: In view of these facts and without regard to the wretched quality of such water as it is supplying, it has been realized that the Spring Valley cannot be relied upon as a source from which this city should draw its water supply. Also that 100 million gallons of water daily, the maximum capacity of the Spring Valley and Tuolumne combined, is not a sufficient quantity to be contemplated for supplying the ultimate needs of the city. Also it has been proven and determined that it would be poor economy to go to the Sierras after water except the source so reached be susceptible of being developed to supply a daily draft of two hundred million gallons.

Tuolumne Waste Water is Water That Cannot Be Stored.

Ex-Mayor Phelan and the Spring Valley coterie, who have been agitating the Tuolumne, have caused many statements to be printed in the public press to the effect that not only is there enough water yielded by that river's watersheds to supply the needs of the irrigation districts in the San Joaquin Valley and of San Francisco, but that after all were abundantly supplied vast quantities would still run to waste. Such statements contain just enough truth to render them misleading. Some of the water from the river will run to waste, no matter if all available reservoir sites are fully improved, for the reason that it falls in a time of the year when it is not

needed by the lands and there cannot be developed enough reservoir capacity to hold it upon the watersheds. There is, for example, water falling below the altitude of the Hetch Hetchy, for which there can never be found any possible storage, and such water falling in winter time when irrigators cannot use it, must inevitably go to waste. The quantity which can be held in the storage reservoirs, at best, is not great, and any statements to the effect that the water that can be saved is ample to the requirements of both the city and the farmers lack of truth. The taking of this water by San Francisco would interfere with the productiveness of the lands of the valley. Nearly all of their products come to San Francisco for handling, and harm would thereby be visited upon the city as well as upon those who have the greater right to it.

Tuolumne Waters May Become too Polluted and Contaminated for Drinking Purposes.

Aside from this, it is probable that the waters of the Tuolumne would in time be contaminated and unfit for the uses of the city. The Yosemite National Park will always be one of the greatest of the nation's summer camping grounds; with its marvelous scenic and climatic beauties and a present summer population of 25,000, it may reasonably be expected that with increased transportation facilities but a few years will pass before possibly more than a hundred thousand persons will spend the season in the locality. Such a population would greatly befoul the watersheds and pollute the waters. Over these watersheds and streams the city—merely a licensee tenant and subject to be ordered off at any time—could never exercise control over property which is and must forever be in the Federal Government. It is ground to which the state sanitary laws do not apply. The city therefore has no way of regulating its use or occupancy, and even if that use and occupancy would tend to turn a water supply source into a sewage system, the city is powerless to prevent.

Hetch Hetchy Rights Would not Carry Power Rights.

Further than this, a most important incident of the water-source demanded by the city is the utilization of its electric power possibilities. Wherever the source may be power is required to pump the water through the pipes

connecting the source with the city, and may be needed for other city uses later on. To install expensive power plants upon ground which is held only by courtesy and which the city might any day be ordered to vacate, is the height of absurdity; and the entire scheme, tending as it does to convert one of the beauty spots of the world, set aside as a National Park for the preservation of its natural wonders, to the utilitarian uses of a city is one that the Federal Government is not likely to tolerate, and if persuaded to grant a license might soon again be persuaded to revoke it. Such an outcome would suit Spring Valley well.

No Titles Possible in the Tuolumne Region.

All that the Secretary of Interior could give—if he gave anything—would be a permit to use the reservoir sites. He could convey no rights nor grant any fee titles; such would be the province of Congress alone. In view of the fact that the Supervisors twice made application to Congress for these rights, and its applications had never gotten out of committee-room; and the further fact that in Congress the Supervisors were confronted by a powerful body of irrigationists, who could assemble to their sympathetic aid the irrigation interests of the West generally, we did not believe it likely that Congress could ever be induced to take further action upon the matter. In any event, such attempts would mean indefinite delay to the city in procuring its municipal water supply. Such delays could be desirable to one influence only, and that is the Spring Valley Water Company and those who are laboring so assiduously to promote its interests and add value to its stocks and bonds.

San Francisco Could Not Say That Other Equally Good Sierra Sources Were Unobtainable.

It is possible that the Secretary of Interior might have granted to San Francisco the rights applied for if it had been possible to show him that an adequate source of water could not be procured from other parts and other rivers of the Sierras. But he could not be expected to do so knowing, as he did, that water in as great abundance as the Tuolumne could yield and of equal if not superior purity, could be procured by the city under conditions superior to those embraced in the Tuolumne project, and that this could certainly be accomplished at a

cost but little if at all greater than Mr. Grunsky's estimate of the cost of that proposition.

Beside this, we have it upon the highest engineering authority that Mr. Grunsky's estimates of cost of Tuolumne construction were figured too low, being based upon much cheaper types of structures than the city would be justified in constructing.

In declining to grant the privileges sought, the Secretary of the Interior while doubting his power to grant them if he were so disposed, is said to have taken the ground that if a part of the Park were to be passed over to a water system, and if a power line should be put in, there would be no way of keeping out a railway, or as many railways as wished to come; and in the course of time the primeval character of the Park would be destroyed and the primary purposes of Congress in setting it aside as one of the Natural Wonders of the World, would be defeated through permitting its use in the furtherance of utilitarian schemes.

The Present Board of Supervisors, in view of the Facts, Would in All Probability Have Abandoned the Tuolumne Project, Even Had Permit From the Secretary Been Granted.

However, in view of the fact that the waters are liable to possible contamination; that the city could have no control over the streams or the watersheds; that the city could not utilize the power developable from the waters; that the taking of the waters would have produced the injuries claimed to the people of the valley, and, incidentally, to the people of the city itself; that all the city could get would be a mere permit which any subsequent Secretary or any Congress might revoke, or refuse to extend when the demands of the city required the taking of more water; and in view of the facts, too, that we could get other Sierra sources superior both in respect of quantity and of purity of water, with rights and titles in fee simple; with control of the streams and watersheds; with all the power belonging to the city; with harm done to no one in consequence of the city taking all the water, and at no greater cost than that attaching to the system upon the Tuolumne—in view of these facts, even had the Secretary granted the application of San Francisco, we would have been justified in not availing of it. If, as the successors of prior Boards of Super-

visors, it had devolved upon us to consider the improvements projected by Mr. Phelan's administration, we should have felt ourselves justified in rejecting the Tuolumne as not meeting the requirements of the city, and to have turned to some other Sierra proposition, despite the clamor which might have been raised by persons who have an interest in defeating municipal ownership of water, and in bolstering up the securities of the Spring Valley Company by keeping the city tied to the Tuolumne, knowing it to be a source which the authorities at Washington will never grant.

Following the action of the Secretary of Interior in denying the application of the Supervisors, and at a time when agitation for a municipal supply again broke out among the people, City Attorney Long went to Washington and interested the President in the matter. At the President's request the Attorney-General gave an opinion upon the powers of the Secretary in reference to the application, holding that the latter could grant the permit *if he chose to do so*.

After this opinion was rendered, however, the Secretary is reported to have stated that if the application again came before him he would make the same ruling as heretofore, and should refuse to exercise his discretion, if he had any, in such a way as to permit encroachments upon the Yosemite National Park.

From these facts it is apparent that there is no truth in the statement so skillfully worked into the public press by the agents of the Spring Valley Water Co. and so conspicuously published at perhaps so much a line that the Secretary of Interior would now give to the city the Hetch Hetchy rights if they were again applied for. Also the statements frequently made that the Modesto and Turlock Irrigation Districts, and that Congressman Needham are no longer opposed to the granting of these rights, are false and unfounded.

A Petition Signed by Thirteen Hundred Property Owners.

In July, 1906, there was presented to this Board of Supervisors a petition, signed by more than thirteen hundred property owners of the Modesto and Turlock districts, urging us to desist seeking rights upon the Tuolumne, and setting forth in extenso weighty reasons therefor. About the same time Congressman Needham again set

forth his position as unalterably opposed to the city acquiring the Tuolumne rights.

Supervisors Resolve to Turn to Other Sierra Sources.

In view of the general conditions affecting the Tuolumne, therefore, the impossibility of getting it if desired, and the undesirability of having it if secured, the present Board of Supervisors, on the 29th day of January, 1906, three weeks after its assumption of office, in accordance with its pledges and in view of a pressing demand for an immediate supply, adopted a resolution declaring it would waste no further time and money in seeking the Tuolumne rights, but would take up water projects to be submitted from other sources. This action was necessary from the facts, first: That our predecessors in office had been persuaded, probably by interests opposed to a municipal water supply, into committing the city to that source; and, second: because the proper submission of a proposed water-source to the city required the expenditure of a considerable sum of money in engineering data on part of the proponents, and it was not believed the Supervisors would receive satisfactory responses to a call for submission of proffers if the city remained obligated by resolution to confine its energies solely to obtain the Tuolumne; and, third: for the various reasons above stated.

Following the said resolution of January 29th, we adopted resolution No. 713, passed March 12th, 1906, calling for submission of proposals for a municipal water supply capable of furnishing 60 million gallons of water per day as initially improved, and having the capacity under full improvement to supply not less than 200 million gallons per day.

The Manson-Woodward-Price Advisory Commission.

While proponents of various sources were preparing their offers under this call, a Commission of Engineers was at work making field examination of three sources, which it had been directed to investigate by the immediate predecessors of the present Board. The Commission consisted of Marsden Manson, member American Society of Civil Engineers; Thomas P. Woodward, City Engineer, and J. R. Price, C. E., all appointed and assigned to this work by Mr. Phelan's former Board of Supervisors. The properties

under investigation were those of Mr. Russell L. Dunn, on the North Fork of the American River; of the Bay Cities Water Company, on the South Fork of the American River and on the North Fork of the Cosumnes River, and of the Sierra Nevada Water and Power Company, on the Mokelumne River. In due course the Commission completed its labor, and filed its report, showing effectively that of the three, the properties of the Bay Cities Water Company fully met the requirements of being able to provide 60 million gallons of pure water per day on first development; 200 million gallons per day upon complete development, and that it was the best of the three properties reported upon.

Fourteen Projects Submitted.

Meanwhile eleven other propositions (fourteen in all) were handed in. But upon examination it became apparent that almost every one of them had been previously submitted to the city and examined and adversely reported upon by City Engineer Grunsky, or were largely speculative attempts to "break in."

We and our engineers were fairly familiar with all of them, and as a hundred thousand dollars more or less had been expended by the city upon making examinations of the same streams and those adjacent, it would have been folly to have repeated the expenditure upon the same work. Of the number, some were too remote from the city, some were merely tailwaters of power plants—the power all going to projects already in existence—others could not be taken without conflict with irrigators of the adjacent valleys who needed the water, still others were from zones of too great pollution, some of them unquestionably could not develop two hundred million gallons daily draft. After careful and thorough consideration of all of the propositions presented, it was concluded that the projects adjacent to or upon the American River and upon the Mokelumne in the High Sierras and Lake Tahoe region, where the waters are of virgin purity, were the nearest to the city and gave the best promise of meeting the city's requirements. Hence all others were set aside until such time as these could be inquired into.

The American River and its tributaries take their rise in the high Sierras and discharge their waters into the bay through the Sacramento River, which

flows through a narrow valley of dense moist soil, in no way comparable with the hot, porous sands of the broad valley of the San Joaquin. The precipitation on the mountains lying above the Sacramento is almost three times as great as upon the regions adjacent to the Tuolumne and the streams flowing therefrom are more numerous and more nearly perennial; hence to hold back a part of these waters and by drawing them off gradually to meet the city's needs, a benefit would be conferred upon the lands lying beneath them through a measurable abatement of the disastrous floods from which our up-river neighbors have suffered so much. This result being in great contrast with the damages which would result to other neighbors by taking away the waters so badly needed by their parched acres.

Prior to the memorable 18th of April the investigation had progressed to a point which enabled the Board of Supervisors to know that if obtainable in that quarter, the city's interests would be best served by the procurement of a water supply source located in the Sierra Nevadas north of the Tuolumne and south of the Yuba. And we, for the sufficient reasons stated, having eliminated the propositions based upon locations without this zone, were about to begin the work of differentiating between those within it when the earthquake came.

The Calamity of April 18th.

The great earthquake and the conflagration which succeeded it, had two important effects upon the water question; first: it brought forcibly to the knowledge of every one the most convincing proof of the inadequacy of the existing water supply system; of the dangerous character of that little quantity of water which was being furnished by the Spring Valley Company; and second: it destroyed the records of all that this Board had done toward the selection of a source from which a municipal supply of water could be drawn, and emphasized most forcibly the necessity of procuring such a source without avoidable delay.

While the Supervisors retained their knowledge of the propositions which they had had under consideration, the written propositions were destroyed and it became necessary to call upon the proponents to renew them in the city's files. This was done on the 14th day or May, 1906, and

within ten days thereafter the Board had before it fourteen propositions, viz:

1. Lake Tahoe and San Francisco Water Works, Lake Tahoe.
2. Hugo D. Newhouse, source unknown.
3. Russell L. Dunn, North Fork American River—Giant Gap.
4. Jay E. Russell, North and Middle Forks American River.
5. Scofield Construction Company, source not stated, but since indicated verbally as San Joaquin River.
6. Bay Cities Water Company, South Fork American River and North Fork Cosumnes River.
7. Northern Sierra Water and Power Company, Feather River.
8. William Muir, North and Middle Forks American River.
9. Orrin S. Henderson, Middle Fork American River.
10. Sierra Nevada Water and Power Company, Mokelumne River.
11. Stanislaus Electric Power Company, Stanislaus River.
12. Snow Mountain Water and Power Company, South Fork Eel River (Mendocino County, Coast Range).
13. S. P. Dunn, North Fork Feather River.
14. M. C. Taylor and John Neate, North and Middle Forks Yuba River.

all of which, as stated, had previously been subjected to such investigation that no time was required to determine toward which of them the Board would first direct its attention; and it quickly designated for first investigation those propositions located within the Sierran zone lying between the Yuba River and the Tuolumne River, these being: (1) The proposition of Russell L. Dunn, based upon the North Fork of the American River; (2) of William Muir, based upon the North and Middle Forks of the American; (3) of Orrin S. Henderson, based upon the Middle Fork of American River; (4) Bay Cities Water Company, based upon the South Fork of American and North Fork of the Cosumnes River; (5) Sierra Nevada Water and Power Company, based upon the Mokelumne River. The only other proposition based upon a source within the zone determined upon, was that of Jay E. Russell, founded upon the ownership of 800 acres of land on the Middle

Fork of the American and bearing on its face evidence of inadequacy such as to preclude its serious consideration.

What Constitutes a Water Proposition.

It is a self-evident fact that to entitle a proposition to serious consideration it should bear on its face evidence that the proponent has so carefully investigated that to which he directs attention as to know that he is not inviting the city to undertake a useless task and to incur unjustifiable expense of large amounts of money and time, in order to prove or disprove the proponent's belief based only upon vague hopes and impressions. In other words, no person is justified in asking the city to investigate any suggested source of supply with a view to acquiring the same, until after he has so investigated it himself as to enable him to give specific and satisfactory answers, based upon proper and thorough engineering data and research, to substantiate all pertinent questions that may be propounded. This was also the theory of the Board of Engineers afterwards appointed.

Of the so-called propositions which were received by the Board of Supervisors, but one came clearly within this category, this being that of the Bay Cities Water Company (whose proposed source of supply is located upon the South Fork of the American and the North Fork of the Cosumnes), and which had evidently been subjected to such careful investigations upon the part of the proponents as to entitle it at least to be called a proposition within the true meaning of the word.

Notwithstanding this, the Board, in its desire to secure the best obtainable source of supply, determined to waive the insufficiency of the proposals and to investigate all propositions located in the zone which its previous consideration indicated to be the region within which a source should be obtained, it possible to do so; and authorizes his Honor, the Mayor, to designate a Commission of Engineers to act as Advisory of the Supervisors in effecting the final elimination which would result in placing the best obtainable proposition before the voters. Accordingly, Mayor Schmitz appointed Messrs. A. M. Hunt, C. E., Professor C. D. Marx, C. E., of Stanford University, and Major C. H. McKinstry, C. E., U. S. A., as such Advisory Commission, and the papers relative to the selected propositions were turned over to them.

Advisory Engineering Board Demands a Year for Examination of Five Projects.

Some days following this submission, we were informed that the Engineering Board would not undertake to make the report desired within a less period than one year, and that they estimated the expense thereof at one hundred thousand dollars. Thereupon a meeting was called by His Honor the Mayor, at which were present the Special Water Committee of the Board of Supervisors, City Engineer Woodward, and Professor Marx; Messrs. McKinstry and Hunt being absent from the city. It was felt by those representing the city that should the mere engineering investigation made to identify the project to be selected, require the space of a year, and involve so large an outlay of city funds, there would be little hope of the people being given an opportunity to vote upon its acquisition during the continuance of the present city administration, with the result that the city would certainly again be defeated in getting a municipal water supply.

Accordingly, it was determined that the Supervisors should select that one of the five projects previously designated, which to them seemed most likely to fill the city's needs and requirements; and, having done so, to cause it to be subjected to an engineering examination and the engineers present agreed that this ought to be done. It being agreed that if the one so selected should prove inadequate or not procurable upon proper terms, the Committee would pass to the next most likely one, extend similar treatment to it, and so on until a satisfactory source was found or the list exhausted. This work the engineers assured us could be finished early in March, 1907, thereby enabling a submission to the vote of the people before the expiration of this administration.

Thereupon and much to our regret, the Advisory Board of Engineers resigned, stating as a reason that as they had been called upon to select one project out of five, and as the Board of Supervisors had itself now discharged this function there was nothing left for them to do in lieu of their original duty. Under a strict technical construction of the resolution under which they were appointed, this position may have been correct. But

in the broad and true sense of the resolution, the object of the Commission was that the Supervisors might be aided in their efforts to quickly promote the interests of the people and facilitate the rehabilitation of our stricken city. Instead of taking this broad, common sense view, the Commission seems practically to have conceived the idea that no source of supply should be selected without an elaborate engineering examination of all possible sources submitted. Under such a view it would have been equally consistent if instead of undertaking to examine the five propositions originally handed it, the Commission had declined to serve unless permitted to examine the entire fourteen and any others to which any one of themselves or any body else might have directed attention. This would have indefinitely and interminably delayed the acquisition of a water supply. The people want a water supply and want it at once. We cannot afford to wait years for examination of every possible source.

In the work of selection we desired the co-operation and assistance of these engineers, bearing in mind that the responsibility for all that was undertaken, and for all that was done, would ultimately rest not with the Advisory Board but with the Supervisors, who are answerable to the people not only for their own acts but also for the acts of those whose services they engage. We are informed that Mr. James D. Phelan interested himself with the Board of Engineers to secure their declination to act except as stated.

The Selection of the Bay Cities Water Company's Proposal.

As has been recited, all of the sources of supply proposed to the Board of Supervisors saving and excepting that of the Bay Cities Water Company, had been before other boards of Supervisors for consideration, had been examined by engineering experts and made the subject matter of reports which advised against their acceptance. Also, as has been stated, of all of such propositions that of the Bay Cities Water Company was the only one which indicated that its proponents had so sufficiently examined into it as to justify the belief that it possessed the essential requirements of ability to deliver sixty million gallons of pure water on first development and was possessed of the potentiality requisite

to an ultimate daily delivery of two hundred million gallons of such water.

Therefore the selection of the most desirable of the five proposals was not difficult, particularly in view of the fact that the Engineering Board itself stated at the meeting referred to that only one of the proposals submitted appeared to have sufficient work done upon it to justify any belief of accurate information on part of the proponents of the exact conditions and capacities of their respective projects, this project being that of the Bay Cities Water Company.

Besides this, three of the five sources had already been examined and reported upon by the Engineering Board composed of Messrs. Manson, Woodward and Price. These the Supervisors certainly had and have some reason to believe comprised the best of the five (even though they had been so selected for examination by the Phelan Board of Supervisors) just as the five propositions seemed the best of those submitted to us.

Of the three, that of the Bay Cities Water Company was most highly spoken of by the Manson-Woodward-Price Board, and seemed to fill all requirements. It was asserted to have large storage capacity; equal, as we have since been informed to the Hetch Hetchy and Lake Eleanor combined; and to have water-producing capacity greater than that of its reservoirs to contain. In other words, its storage is said to be upwards of sixty-seven thousand million gallons, which would provide against a draft of more than two hundred million gallons per day.

The properties of the Bay Cities Water Company are said to have already been improved by the expenditure of several millions of dollars thereon, and the proponents offer to turn this source over to the City with a developed capacity of seventy million gallons of water per day, delivered at the in-take of the pipe line leading to the city. To accomplish this, they must yet expend several more million dollars in its further improvement. This same amount and more would have to be expended in connection with the Tuolumne scheme. The water is said to be of the purest in the Sierras. The reservoir sites and dams would belong to the City in fee simple. The water sheds, it is claimed, are so located that the purity of the waters flowing from them is assured beyond

question. Over these, by reason of its absolute fee simple ownership of the reservoir land and all essential rights and properties, the City would have absolute and perpetual control. In a few years the natural enhancement of the value of the lands would be a great asset of the City, and would undoubtedly have favorable influence on the sale of its water bonds. The larger part of the water sheds lie within the Tahoe Forest Reserve, which while subject to the State Sanitary Laws, is not open for settlement and is patrolled by government rangers, a condition that tends to purity of the streams.

It is said to contain a large number of high-mountain lakes and many reservoir sites, so located to each other that the waters from one can be transferred to any other whenever occasion requires. These lakes and reservoirs are separated by considerable distances, and in some instances by ranges of mountains; hence if one or several dams were disrupted by earthquake or other cause, there would still be ample water contained behind others to care for the city's requirements. One break might destroy the whole water system of the Tuolumne scheme.

The reservoirs of the Bay Cities Water Company project are said to be so disposed that the smallest lie at the higher altitude, their size increasing as they descend, the largest of the number being at an altitude of fifteen hundred feet. So it would be impossible for it, or its canals, to become choked in winter with snow and ice. The line of its water sheds lies thirty-five miles closer to the city than that of the Tuolumne.

It is claimed that power can be developed from the system in quantities far in excess of the city's apparent requirements, all of which would belong to the city. Moreover, it is asserted that the title to the rights and properties of this project are confirmed by fifty years user, and that the taking of the water would cause no protest from farmers in the valley below who are now suffering from an excess natural supply. Besides this, it is asserted that the system could be put in from this source at approximately the cost, which Mr. Grunsky estimates as the cost of a system from the Tuolumne, such cost including the price asked by the proponents; the cost of improvements already made and to be made by them; pipe lines

conducting the water to the city, and a modern and adequate system of distributing pipes, mains, and service reservoirs within the city.

It is very evident that these proponents have spent large sums of money in investigating the merits of their properties as a source of city water supply, and on working out engineering data upon every feature thereof; and as this work has been performed and this data has been compiled and analyzed by men eminent in the civil engineering profession, there seemed to be reason to disbelieve its correctness. The project was not difficult, therefore, to understand; and was readily comprehended by the engineers. If, therefore, the work has been honestly and intelligently done and the representations made in the proposal, are correct, the Bay Cities Water Company's proposition is not only better and cheaper than the Hetch-Hetchy is or ever possibly could be made to be, but is also better than anything else to which the attention of the city has ever been directed. Accordingly, the Board of Supervisors had no hesitancy in deciding that it be first taken up for examination by engineers of the city's selection.

The Position Assumed by the Engineers.

Concurrently with its decision, the Board of Supervisors advised that the three engineers, Messrs. Hunt, Marx and McKinstry, be requested by the Mayor to examine this particular project and report as to whether, from the showing made by the proponents, it was suitable to fill the city's requirements. Before resolutions embodying the above decision and request could run their course and become legal, certain of the afternoon newspapers printed what purported to be a communication from Professor Marx in which he made the following statement:

"I desire to express my unwillingness to handle this subject otherwise than in the manner in which an engineering project of this magnitude should be handled; that is, by making such an investigation as will enable at least a comparative estimate to be made of the merits and cost of the various available systems. *This would of necessity include systems which were not referred to us by the Board of Supervisors for examination and report.* I, as a member of the Commission, will not pass on any single

project submitted for my approval."

If these statements, expressed the sentiments of the other two gentlemen (we believe they are endorsed by Mr. Hunt), the Board of Supervisors have only to regret that they are unwilling to aid in reaching a conclusion upon the selection of a water-source of which the city stands in such urgent need. Thus far we have only the representations of the proponents upon the Bay Cities Water Company's project, backed by the examination and report of the Manson-Woodward-Price Board. It may not fill the requirements. Whether it will or not is a question which we shall have determined by competent engineering inquiry. The position which Professor Marx assumes is hardly tenable, for the responsibility of the selection of a water-course for the City would certainly rest ultimately upon the Board of Supervisors and not upon him.

Vast sums of money have already been spent on this water investigation, and an enormous amount of work has already been done. To continue working on this matter for a year or more, to spend another hundred thousand dollars or so upon it, as was suggested by Professor Marx, to do over again the work done by Grunsky and his corps seems worse than useless, and this Board is unwilling to do it. This Board wants as a result of its work the practical acquisition of a perfect water supply, and not the piling up of a further mass of engineering reports which it will take not less than a year to present and which will then be available merely as monuments of engineering ability to our successors in the years which are to come.

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. PHILLIPS,

Chairman.

JAMES L. GALLAGHER.

CHARLES BOXTON.

JAMES F. KELLY

EDWARD I. WALSH.

Special Committee on Water Supply.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Action Deferred.

Authorizing Payment, Judgment, South Park.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$20,000 to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to A. A. Sanderson for amount of judgment rendered in Superior Court, Department No. 1, in Daniel Wallace et al. v. City and

County of San Francisco, No. 61,767, and in accordance with terms of Ordinance No. 601, and bill rendered, heretofore passed for printing, was taken up and on motion laid over one week.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, **finally passed** by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 423 (New Series). Granting C. L. Davis permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 70 horsepower in premises situate at No. 147 Beach street, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Resolution No. 424 (New Series). Granting Henry Rhine & Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 15 horsepower in premises situate at the corner of Nineteenth and Bryant streets, the same to be used in a candy factory.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Resolution No. 425 (New Series). Granting California Doughnut and Cruller Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 5 horsepower in premises situate at the corner of Eighteenth and Guerrero streets, the same to be used for operating machinery in bakery.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 426 (New Series). Granting California Doughnut and Cruller Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 1500 gallons in premises situate at Eighteenth and Guerrero streets for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boiler on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher,

Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson.—13.

Resolution No. 427 (New Series), Granting Kohs & Co. permission during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 400 gallons in premises situated at corner Twenty-fifth and Mission streets for the purpose of storing crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boiler on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson.—13.

Resolution No. 428 (New Series), Granting Lane, Hospital permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 2000 gallons in premises situated at the corner of Clay and Webster streets for the purpose of storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson.—13.

Recorder Appoint Two Deputies.

Bill No. 81, Ordinance No. 77 (New Series), entitled, "Authorizing the Recorder to appoint to (2) assistant deputy clerks and providing for their compensation."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson.—13.

Extensions of Time, Street Work.

Resolution No. 429 (New Series), Granting the City Street Improvement Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after October 4, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of sewers in Fourth street, between Howard and Channel streets.

This extension of time is recommended for the reason that the contractor has been unable to procure materials to prosecute the work.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson.—13.

Resolution No. 430 (New Series), Granting J. J. Dowling & Co. an extension of ninety days' time from and after October 12, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of stone curbs and basalt

block pavement on Harrison street, between Fourth and Sixth streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that owing to the necessity of reconstructing the sewer in this street the contractor has been unable to diligently prosecute the work.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson.—13.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$31,510.10, and entered in Register of Demands No. 1 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 7781 to 8020, inclusive, and in Register of Demands No. 2, and numbered consecutively therein 1 to 215, inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson.—13.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Park.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$13,868.57 to be made out of the Park Fund in payment to the following firms for labor and material furnished the Park Commissioners, as follows:

To McGilvray Stone Co.	\$ 4,503.95
To Thomas Butler	789.95
To McGilvray Stone Co.	4,252.10
To Christian Froelich	4,322.57

\$13,868.57

As per contract and bill rendered.

Oil Permit.

On motion of Supervisor McGushin: Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Globe Bakery permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 300 gallons in premises situated at No. 2027 Fillmore street, the

same to be used for storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boiler on said premises.

Engine and Boiler Permit.

Also Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Callnon, Dingley & Burkhardt permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 8 horsepower in premises situate at No. 1585 Fifteenth street, the same to be used in a plating works.

Regulating Stables.

On motion of Supervisor Wilson:

Bill No. 83, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the construction, use and maintenance of stables."

Providing for Sale of Bonds.

On motion of Supervisor Boston:

Bill No. 84, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the sale of certain Bonds of the City and County of San Francisco, fixing the date when bids will be received for the purchase of the same and directing the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to give notice thereof," the provisions of which offer for sale, on November 5, 1906, any or all of the Bonds of the following names, amounts, series and denominations, to wit:

For the purchase of Sewer Bonds to the amount of one million eighty-seven thousand two hundred (\$1,087,200) dollars, comprising all of the bonds of the denominations of one hundred (\$100) dollars, five hundred (\$500) dollars and one thousand (\$1000) dollars of the fifth to the tenth series, both inclusive.

For the purchase of Street Bonds to the amount of four hundred and eighty-six thousand (\$486,000) dollars, comprising all the bonds of one hundred (\$100) dollars, five hundred (\$500) dollars and one thousand (\$1000) dollars of the fifteenth to the twenty-sixth series, both inclusive.

Ordering Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 85, Ordinance No. —, (New Series) entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order the following street work:

1. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on both sides of Palm ave-

nue, between Euclid avenue and California street.

2. That Eighteenth avenue, between Point Lobos avenue and Clement street, be graded to official line and grade, where not already so graded; that redwood curbs be constructed thereon and the roadway and sidewalks thereof be macadamized.

3. That Twenty-ninth avenue, between Point Lobos avenue and A street, be improved by grading the same to official line and grade by the construction of redwood curbs on both sides of the roadway thereof and by macadamizing the roadway and sidewalks thereof.

4. That a 15-inch iron-stone pipe sewer with six Y branches be constructed along the center line of Eighteenth avenue from the northerly line of Clement street to a point 150 feet northerly therefrom.

Reducing Width of Sutter Street Sidewalks.

Also, Bill No. 86, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered two hundred and twenty-three," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Sutter street between Market street and Van Ness avenue at twelve (12) feet.

Full Acceptance Sixteenth Street, Between Castro and Sixteenth Streets.

Also, Bill No. 87, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled "Providing for the full acceptance of the roadway of Sixteenth street between Castro and Market streets."

Extensions of Time, Street Work.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), granting J. J. Dowling & Co. an extension of ninety days' time from and after October 7, 1906, within which to complete the contract for paving the roadway of the crossing of Sanchez and Twenty-third streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor will be unable to complete the work within the time originally fixed by the Board of Public Works.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), granting W. F. Hanrahan an extension of ninety days' time from and after October 8, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of the upper Sunset main sewer.

This extension of time is granted for

the reason that the contractor has been unable to procure material with which to complete the work owing to the recent fire.

Granting Parkside Realty Company Permission to Lay Temporary Tracks.

Also, Bill No. 88, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled "Granting to the Parkside Realty Company of San Francisco permission for the laying down of railroad tracks and the running of cars thereon upon certain streets and portions of streets in the City and County of San Francisco for the purpose of excavating and filling in such streets or portions of streets or the adjoining land," the provisions of which authorize the laying of temporary tracks on the following streets, to wit:

On T street from Nineteenth avenue to Thirty-fourth avenue.

On Thirty-fourth avenue from T street to the southerly boundary line of Pueblo lands of San Francisco.

On W street from Thirty-fourth avenue to the Great Highway.

On V street from Fourteenth avenue to Thirty-fourth avenue.

On U street from Thirteenth avenue to Thirty-fourth avenue.

On T street from Twelfth avenue (extended) to Nineteenth avenue.

On S street from Twelfth avenue to Nineteenth avenue.

On Corbett road from its intersection with southerly line of Ocean avenue to intersection with Dewey boulevard.

On Sixteenth avenue from the southerly boundary line of Pueblo lands of San Francisco to W street.

On W street from Fifteenth avenue to Sixteenth avenue.

On Fifteenth avenue from V street to W street.

On Fourteenth avenue from U street to V street.

On Thirteenth avenue from T street to U street.

On Twelfth avenue from S street to the southerly termination of Twelfth avenue.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Intention to Close Ocean Avenue, from Corbett Avenue to the Great Highway.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. 431 (New Series), as follows:

Resolution of intention to close Ocean avenue from its intersection with the easterly line of Ocean boulevard

(or the Great Highway) to its intersection with the westerly line of Corbett avenue, being for a distance of more than one (1) block.

Whereas, A petition has been filed with this Board by property owners owning a majority of the frontage upon Ocean avenue from its intersection with the easterly line of Ocean boulevard (or Great Highway) to its intersection with the westerly line of Corbett avenue, as laid down on the official maps of the City and County of San Francisco, for the closing and abandoning of said portion of said avenue; and

Whereas, Petitioners represent that they are about to dedicate to the City and County of San Francisco a strip of land seventy (70) feet in width extending from a point of intersection with the westerly line of Corbett avenue to a point of intersection with the easterly line of Ocean boulevard (or the Great Highway), according to the maps now on file with this Board and accompanying said petition; and

Whereas, Said petitioners also represent that they are about to dedicate to the City and County of San Francisco a strip of land along the westerly line of Corbett avenue seventy (70) feet in width from its intersection with the northerly line of Ocean avenue to its intersection with the southerly line of said proposed boulevard at the point of its intersection with what was formerly Dewey boulevard, as also appears from maps on file with this Board and accompanying this petition; and

Whereas, It further appears to this Board that said proposed boulevard from Ocean avenue to the point of intersection of Corbett avenue with Dewey boulevard and thence westerly, as aforesaid, from said point to Ocean Boulevard (or the Great Highway), will be graded and macadamized and dedicated as a boulevard; and

Whereas, The public interest and convenience would be conserved thereby,

Be it resolved, That it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors to close and abandon that portion of Ocean avenue which lies between its intersection with the easterly line of Ocean boulevard (or the Great Highway) and its intersection with the westerly line of Corbett avenue upon the complete performance of the following conditions, viz:

First—The dedication as a boulevard

to the City and County of San Francisco of said strip of land seventy (70) feet in width from the intersection with the westerly line of Corbett avenue to its intersection with the easterly line of Ocean boulevard (or the Great Highway), and a strip of land seventy (70) feet in width along the westerly line of Corbett avenue from its intersection with Ocean avenue to its point of intersection with Dewey boulevard, as appears from maps on file with this Board and hereinbefore referred to.

Second—Upon the grading and macadamizing of the lands so to be dedicated as a boulevard throughout their entire length and width.

And the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to cause to be conspicuously posted along the line of said Ocean avenue, and upon the portion thereof included within this Resolution, not more than three hundred (300) feet in distance apart and not less than three (3) in all, notices of the passage of this Resolution, said notices to be headed "Notice of Public Work" in letters not less than one (1) inch in length, in legible characters, and stating the facts of the passage of this Resolution, its date, and briefly the work proposed and referring to this Resolution for further particulars, and said Board of Works is also hereby required to cause a notice similar in substance to be published for a period of ten (10) days in the official newspaper of the City and County of San Francisco, and the Clerk is hereby directed to advertise this Resolution of Intention in the official newspaper for ten (10) successive days, legal holidays excepted.

Intention to Close Certain Streets Temporarily.

Also, Resolution No. 432 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco to close the streets and portions of streets within the following described district, to wit:

A district bounded by the east by Seventeenth avenue, on the south by U street, on the west by Thirty-seventh avenue, and on the north by S street.

Said streets are to be closed upon the condition that the Parkside Realty Company of San Francisco, owner of a majority of the lands fronting thereon, will reopen the same to public traffic and convenience and rededicate

them as public streets of the City and County of San Francisco within two (2) years from the date and taking effect of the ordinance closing the same.

And the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to cause to be conspicuously posted along the line of said streets, and upon the portion thereof included within this resolution, not more than three hundred (\$300) feet in distance apart and not less than three (3) in all, notices of the passage of this resolution, said notices to be headed "Notice of Public Work" in letters not less than one (1) inch in length in legible characters and stating the facts of the passage of this resolution, its date, and briefly the work proposed, and referring to this resolution for further particulars, and said Board of Public Works is also hereby required to cause a notice similar in substance to be published for a period of ten (10) days in the official newspaper of the City and County of San Francisco, and the Clerk is hereby directed to advertise this Resolution of Intention in the official newspaper for ten (10) successive days, legal holidays excepted, as required by law.

Also, Resolution No. 433 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco to close the streets and portions of streets within the following described district, to wit:

The district bounded on the north by the southerly line of "V" street, on the east by the westerly line of Twenty-fifth avenue, on the west by the easterly line of Thirty-sixth avenue, and on the south by the southerly boundary of the addition to the pueblo lands of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, as the same appear upon the official map of the City and County of San Francisco.

Said streets to be closed upon the condition that the Parkside Realty Company of San Francisco, owner of a majority of the lands fronting thereon, will reopen the same to public traffic and convenience and rededicate them as public streets of the City and County of San Francisco within two (2) years from the date and taking effect of the Ordinance closing the same.

And the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to cause to be conspicuously posted along the line of

said streets and upon the portion thereof included within this Resolution, not more than three hundred (300) feet in distance apart, and not less than three (3) in all, notices of the passage of this Resolution, said notices to be headed "Notice of Public Work," in letters not less than one (1) inch in length in legible characters, and stating the facts of the passage of this Resolution, its date, and briefly the work proposed, and referring to this Resolution for further particulars, and said Board of Works is also hereby required to cause a notice similar in substance to be published for a period of ten (10) days in the official newspaper of the City and County of San Francisco, and the Clerk is hereby directed to advertise this Resolution of Intention in the official newspaper for ten (10) successive days, legal holidays excepted, as required by law.

Also, Resolution No. 434 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco to close the streets and portions of streets within the following described district, to wit:

District bounded on the west by Fifteenth avenue, on the north by Q street, and on the south and east by the westerly boundary line of the San Miguel Rancho.

Said streets are to be closed upon the condition that the Parkside Realty Company of San Francisco, owner of a majority of the lands fronting there-

on, will reopen the same to public traffic and convenience and rededicate them as public streets of the City and County of San Francisco within two (2) years from the date and taking effect of the ordinance closing the same.

And the Board of Public Works is hereby directed to cause to be conspicuously posted along the line of said streets, and upon the portion thereof included within this resolution, not more than three hundred (300) feet in distance apart, and not less than three (3) in all, notices of the passage of this resolution, said notices to be headed "Notice of Public Work" in letters not less than one (1) inch in length, in legible characters, and stating the facts of the passage of this resolution, its date, and briefly the work proposed, and referring to this resolution for further particulars, and said Board of Public Works is also hereby required to cause a notice similar in substance to be published for a period of ten (10) days in the official newspaper of the City and County of San Francisco, and the Clerk is hereby directed to advertise this Resolution of Intention in the official newspaper for ten (10) successive days, legal holidays excepted, as required by law.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 6:40 o'clock, adjourned to meet on Thursday, October 11, 1906, at 8:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Thursday, October 11, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, McGushin, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Quorum present.

His Honor Acting Mayor Gallagher presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journal of the meeting of October 8, 1906, was dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Petitions—Of Thomas M. Miller, for the proper lighting of Union street from Montgomery avenue to Leavenworth street.

Of the Sisters of Charity, requesting that a street light be placed at Bay View and N streets.

To the Equalization and Assessments Committee.

Petition—Of John Lyons, for the refund of \$3.60, paid on an erroneous assessment of personal property.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of J. A. Gay, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler at No. 826 O'Farrell street.

Of A. Rosa, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler at 20 Oak Grove avenue.

Of California Artistic Metal and

Wire Co., for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler at 349-365 Seventh street.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petition—Of Ferrari Bros., for permission, to establish and conduct a stable at Mariposa and York streets.

To the License and Orders Committee.

Petition—Of Humphrey J. Sullivan, for the refund of \$125.00 paid as liquor license for the quarter ending September 30, 1906.

To the Police Committee.

Petition—Of Peter Pelewson, for the refund of \$51.00, paid in order to release cows alleged to have been illegally impounded.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Copy of the Report of the North Central Improvement Association for the month of September, 1906.

Petitions—Of North Central Improvement Association, for the erection of street signs to be placed at corners in the business district.

Of F. A. Healy, for a franchise to lay a steam pipe line under and across certain streets of the City and County.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, transmitting a statement of its financial condition and the amount of appropriations required for its maintenance.

To the Committee on Public Buildings.

Requisition from Hon. J. C. B. Hubbard for certain furniture for use in courtroom Superior Court, Department 4.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Communications—From the Board of Public Works, showing subdivision of the Pforr Estate, relative to extension of Thirtieth and Mission streets.

Also, recommending the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on the southerly side of "H" street, between the easterly line of Eighth avenue and the westerly line of Thirteenth avenue.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Fire Committee, by Supervisor McGushin, presented a Report, which was received, read and ordered placed on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes.

Ordering Construction of Sewer in Haight Street, Between Steiner and Pierce Streets.

Bill No. 82, Ordinance No. 78 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of an 8-inch ironstone pipe sewer, with appurtenances, in Haight street, between Steiner and Pierce streets; approving and adopting specifications therefor, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing said work at an estimated cost to the City and County of two thousand dollars (\$2000.00)."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, McGushin, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Authorizing Payment, Paving of Marshall Square.

Resolution No. 435 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of forty-six hundred and eighty-one and 17-100 (\$4681.17) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the Public Building Fund in payment to City Street Improvement Company for paving, curbing, etc., in front of Marshall Square, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, McGushin, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$6994.07, and entered in Register of Demands No. 2 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein

from 222 to 236 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and upon his motion said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, McGushin, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—12.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock: Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That John P. Lorden be and he is hereby granted permission to erect and maintain, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, a steam boiler of 125 horsepower in premises situate on the north line of Folsom street, 30 feet west from Sixth street, thence running to Harriet street, to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Jean Pats be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 6 horsepower in premises situate at No. 2819½ Mission street, to be used in the operation of a laundry.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Morgan & Wright and the Hartford Rubber Company be and they are hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 6 horsepower in premises situate at 423 Golden Gate avenue.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Eureka California Soda Water Company be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 35 horsepower at premises situate at No. 10 Beiderman street.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That R. Schimpfermoin be and is hereby granted permission during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 15 horsepower in premises on the northeast corner of Fifteenth street and Caledonia alley.

Also Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the W. J. Aitchison Mill Company be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 100 horsepower on the north side of Nineteenth street 60 feet west from Guerrero street, to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Plumas Mill and Lumber Company be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 35 horsepower in premises 571 Eighth street, between Bryant and Brannan streets, the same to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Occidental Planing Mill be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 45 horsepower in premises on east side of Second street, 137.6 feet northerly from Townsend street, to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the S. H. Harmon Lumber Company be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 250 horsepower at premises on the southwest corner of Bryant and Fifth streets, to be used in the operation of planing mill.

Authorizing Payment, Water, Street Sprinkling.

On motion of Supervisor Phillips:
Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of one thousand (\$1000) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Spring Valley Water Company for water furnished for sprinkling public streets during months of July and

August, 1906, as per contract and bills rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Maintenance Min-
ors.

On motion of Supervisor Sanderson:
Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of six hundred and fifty-four and 66-100 (\$654.66) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Brother Xenophon for maintenance and tuition of minors committed to St. Vincent's Asylum during month of September, 1906, as per bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Lumber, Board of Public Works.

On motion of Supervisor Sanderson:
Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of nine hundred and forty-five (\$945.00) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the General Fund in payment to J. N. Schouten & Co. for lumber furnished the Board of Public Works, as per bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Park Commissioners.

On motion of Supervisor Sanderson:
Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of one thousand six hundred and fifteen and 61-100 (\$1615.61) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the Park Fund in payment to the following firms for forage and lumber furnished Park Commissioners:
To J. L. Verneil, forage.....\$1002.13
To Pope & Talbot, lumber.... 613.48

\$1615.61

As per contract and bills rendered.

Authorizing Refund Telegraph Hill Park Taxes.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:
Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of two thousand and forty-two and 28-100 (\$2042.28) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the Hibernia Savings and Loan Society for a refund of the taxes 1904-1905 for Telegraph Hill Park Bond Redemption and Interest Fund paid the Tax Collector and declared invalid by the Supreme Court.

Authorizing Payment, Balance Purchase, Land for Widening of Brannan Street at Tenth Street and Potrero Avenue.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of thirty-five hundred (\$3500) dollars be made out of the General Fund in payment to Pacific Improvement Company for balance due on the purchase price of Potrero Nuevo blocks 68 and 69.
Total purchase price\$4500
Amount of first payment 1000

Amount of second payment
(this)\$3500

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Supervisor Coffey introduced the following Bills, and moved the suspension of the rules for their immediate consideration.

Passed for Printing.

Thereupon said Bills were, on motion of Supervisor Coffey, passed for printing.

Declaring Twentieth Avenue a Boulevard.
So ordered.

Bill No. 89, Ordinance No. —, entitled, "Declaring Twentieth (20th) avenue, from 'H' street to 'W' street, as the same are laid down upon the official map of the City and County of San Francisco, a boulevard."

Repealing Ordinance Declaring Nineteenth Avenue Boulevard.

Also, Bill No. 90, Ordinance No. —, entitled, "Repealing Ordinance No. 1675, entitled, 'An Ordinance declaring Nineteenth avenue from 'H' street to Ocean avenue, as the same are laid down upon the map of the City and County of San Francisco, a boulevard,' approved November 29, 1905."

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the Board at 4:35 o'clock p. m. adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, October 15, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors noted present:

Supervisors Buxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGuslin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sander-son, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Acting Mayor Gallagher presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of the meetings of October 8th and 11th, 1906, was dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Petition—Of Property Owners to place an electric arc light on Tilden street west of Castro street.

To the Equalization of Assessment Committee.

Petition—Of A. W. Till, for the refund of the sum of \$1.89 paid as duplicate tax on personal property.

To the Finance Committee.

Petition—Of Harry Pless, for a refund of a part of rent paid for use of certain City property at Van Ness avenue and Fell street.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of Property Owners, for the establishment of a district in the Mission for factory purposes, and protecting against the erection or maintenance of boilers or engines in the certain district bounded by Seventeenth, Twentieth, Howard and Dolores streets.

Of Tait's Cafe, for permission to erect and maintain a boiler in premises at Eddy and Van Ness avenue.

Of Puritan Restaurant, for permission to erect and maintain a boiler in premises situate at Mission street near Sixteenth street.

Or the Auto Tire Repair Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler in premises situate at No. 33 Sanchez street.

Of The Louvre, for permission to erect and maintain a boiler situate in premises southeast corner Eddy and Fillmore streets.

Of Wm. Wolff, for permission to install an oil tank in premises situate at No. 43 Fulton street.

To the Joint Committee on Fire and Water.

Petition—Of the Eureka Valley Improvement Association, for the erection of water hydrants for fire protection at Clover street and Caselli avenue.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Protests — Of Property Owners against the erection of a stable at east side of Dolores street, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets.

O^r Property Owners, against the future establishment of stables on Woodward avenue.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Light Committee.

From the Light and Water Inspector relative to the lighting of Public streets.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, informing the Board that it has heretofore recommended the construction of sewers in Harrison street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, and urging that the said work be commenced.

To the Joint Committee on Finance and Police.

From the Grand Jury, enclosing a copy of its Resolution recommending the establishment of a "Chain Gang" for the prosecution of criminals and vagrants.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Public Buildings, by Supervisor Nicholas, presented a report, which was received, read and ordered placed on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Oil Permit.

Resolution No. 436 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Globe Bakery be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 300 gallons, in premises situate at No. 2027 Fillmore street, the same to be used for storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boiler on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sander-son, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Extension of Time, Street Work.

Resolution No. 437 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That J. J. Dowling & Co. be and is hereby granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after October 7, 1906, within which to complete the contract for paving the road-

way of the crossing of Sanchez and Twenty-third streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor will be unable to complete the work within the time originally fixed by the Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sander-son, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Park.

Resolution No. 438 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of thirteen thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight and 57-100 (\$13,868.57) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the Park Fund in payment to the following firms for labor and material furnished the Park Commissioners, as follows:

To McGilvray Stone Co	\$4,503.95
To Thomas Butler	789.95
To McGilvray Stone Co	4,252.10
To Christian Froelich	4,322.57

\$13,868.57

As per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sander-son, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Extension of Time, Street Work.

Resolution No. 439 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That W. F. Hanrahan be and is hereby granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after October 8, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of the upper Sunset main sewer.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to procure material with which to complete the work owing to the recent fire.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sander-son, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Engine and Boiler Permit.

Resolution No. 440 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Callnon, Dingley & Burkhardt be and are hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 8 horsepower in premises situate at No.

1585 Fifteenth street, the same to be used in a plating works.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Authorizing Payment, Judgment, South Park.

Resolution No. 441 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of twenty thousand (\$20,000) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to A. A. Sanderson for amount of judgment rendered in Superior Court, Department No. 1, in Daniel Wallace et al. vs. City and County of San Francisco, No. 61,767, and in accordance with terms of Ordinance No. 601, and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Providing for Sale of Bonds.

Bill No. 84, Ordinance No. 84 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the sale of certain Bonds of the City and County of San Francisco, fixing the date when bids will be received for the purchase of the same and directing the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to give notice thereof."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Regulating Construction and Maintenance of Stables.

Bill No. 83, Ordinance No. 79 (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the construction, use and maintenance of stables."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

No—Supervisor Kelly—1.

Notice of Reconsideration.

Supervisor Coffey gave notice that at the next meeting he would move the reconsideration of the vote whereby Ordinance No. 79 was finally passed.

Granting Parkside Realty Company Permission to Lay Temporary Tracks.

Bill No. 88, Ordinance No. 80 (New Series), entitled, "Granting to the Parkside Realty Company of San Francisco permission for the laying down of railroad tracks and the run-

ning of cars thereon upon certain streets in the City and County of San Francisco for the purpose of excavating and filling in such streets or portions of streets or the adjoining land."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Reducing Width of Sutter Street Sidewalks.

Bill No. 86, Ordinance No. 81, (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered two hundred and twenty-three."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 85, Ordinance No. 82 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Full Acceptance, Sixteenth Street, Between Castro and Market Streets.

Bill No. 87, Ordinance No. 83 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the full acceptance of the roadway of Sixteenth street, between Castro and Market streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh Wilson—17.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$46,223.36, and entered in Register of Demands No. 2 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein from 241 to 368 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the Demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly

examined and approved the same, and upon his motion said Demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Sewer, Valencia Street.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of two thousand four hundred and six and 30-100 (\$2406.30) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the Public Building Fund in payment to City Street Improvement Company for a concrete sewer in Valencia street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Almshouse.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of five hundred and eighty-two and 44-100 (\$582.44) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to Del Monte Milling Company for supplies furnished City and County Almshouse, as per contract and bill rendered.

Extension of Time, Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Williams, Belser & Co. be and is hereby granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after October 4, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the repaving of Mission street from Fifth to Sixth streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to complete the contract within the time originally fixed by the Board of Public Works.

Regulating Street Car Passenger Traffic.

On motion of Supervisor Sanderson:

Bill No. 91, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance regulating the equipment and operation of street passenger cars in the City and County of San Francisco, prohibiting

passengers from riding on specified portions of said cars, prohibiting persons from climbing or jumping upon, into, from or off such cars while in motion, or from boarding and entering such cars for the purpose of selling newspapers or other articles thereon or therein; prescribing certain duties of police officers with regard thereto, and prescribing penalties for violations hereof."

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Providing for Repair of Warehouse, Election Commissioners.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas: Resolution No. 442 (New Series) setting aside the sum of \$1105 to be expended in necessary repairs to the warehouse of the Election Commission.

Install Telephone.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas: Resolution No. 443 (New Series), requesting the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company to install a telephone in the residence of J. F. Jewell, Election Commissioner.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

Special Committee to Confer With Railroad Officials as to Street Car Passenger Traffic, Under Suspension of the Rules.

Under suspension of the rules, Supervisor Wilson introduced Resolution No. — (New Series), relative to Bill No. 91, regulating traffic on street cars and authorizing the appointment of a committee consisting of three members of the Board of Supervisors to confer with the officials of the railroad companies and urge the necessity of providing additional car service, which was.

On his motion adopted as Resolution No. 444 (New Series).

Appointment of Special Committee.

Whereupon the Chair appointed the following members of the Board of Supervisors to constitute the said Committee.

Supervisors Wilson, Boxton and Sanderson.

Referred.

The following matters were presented and referred as follows:

Amending Ordinance No. 916, Regulating Obstructions on Streets.

By Supervisor Boxton:

Bill No. 93, Ordinance No. — (New

Series), entitled "An Ordinance to amend section two of Ordinance No. 916, entitled 'Regulating obstructions upon public streets and sidewalks, approved June 30, 1903.'"

Referred to Committee on Streets, Sewers and Parks.

Amending Order 1511, Regulating Use of Vehicles.

By Supervisor Coffey:

Bill No. 92, Ordinance No. — (New Series) entitled 'Amending Section 7 of Order No. 1611, entitled, 'Regulating the use of vehicles on the public streets and boats in the waters of the bay,' approved December 23, 1880.'

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Proposal to Amend Charter, Relative to Salaries of Members of Fire Department.

By Supervisor Wilson:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Proposing to amend the Charter relative to fixing an increase in the salaries of Firemen in the San Francisco Fire Department and providing a period of vacation therefor.

Referred to Joint Committee on Fire and Judiciary.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business the Board at 4:30 o'clock p. m., adjourned to meet on Thursday, October 18, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Thursday, October 18, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harri-gan, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Quorum present.

His Honor Acting Mayor Gallagher presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of the meetings of October 8, 11 and 15, 1906, was dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Petition—Of Property Owners for the erection and maintenance of

electric arc and gas lights on Post street, between Van Ness avenue and Polk street.

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petition—Of the Bank of Italy, for the refunding to it of duplicate payment of taxes amounting to the sum of \$22.50, on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of Miller & Sons, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of five horsepower at premises situate on Potrero avenue, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, for the purpose of heating water for washing bottles.

Of the California Saw Works, for permission to erect and maintain a tank for the storage of crude oil of 1800 gallons capacity, at premises in block bounded by Brannan, Harriet and Geneva streets.

Of Appen-Hicks Wrecking Company, for permission to explode blasts in removing the walls of the Arizona Warehouse on Berry street, between Fifth and Sixth streets.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of G. W. Walley, for permission to erect a temporary barn for sheltering horses during contract work in premises at Seventeenth street near Carolina street.

Of Upton, Rowe & Co., for permission to erect and conduct a stable on north side of Clara street, 165 feet west of Fourth street.

Of George Hall, for permission to erect a three-story barn in premises situate south side of Harrison street, 175 feet east of Fifth street.

To the Police Committee.

Petition—Of the Convocation of the Episcopal Church of San Francisco and vicinity, asking for restriction of hours in which saloons shall be kept open.

To the Committee on Streets, Sewers and Parks.

Communications—From Otto tum Suden, protesting against the closing of Nineteenth avenue and other streets in that vicinity.

From E. C. Leffingwell, calling attention to the condition of Sacramento street, just west of Devisadero street.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Public Buildings Committee.

From the City Engineer, with requisition for certain furniture for use in the testing laboratory of the Bureau of Engineering of the Board of Public Works.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending that an extension of ninety days' time be granted the City Street Improvement Company from and after October 12, 1906, within which to complete its contract for repaving of Larkin street, between Hayes and McAllister streets.

Also, Recommending the reduction of the width of sidewalks on Church street, between Market and Hermann streets.

Also, Recommending the expediency of constructing artificial stone sidewalks at the four angular corners of the crossing of Dolores and Twenty-seventh streets.

Also, Recommending the expediency of constructing an ironstone pipe sewer along the center line of Twenty-sixth avenue, between the northerly and southerly lines of California street.

Also, Recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Twenty-sixth street, between Guerrero and Dolores streets.

Also, Recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Castro street, between Fifteenth and Henry streets.

Also, Recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Diamond and Nineteenth streets.

Also, Recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Diamond street, between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets.

Also, Recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Castro and Fifteenth streets.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Fire Committee, by Supervisor Mamlock, presented a report, which was received, read and placed on file.

Withdrawal of Notice to Reconsider.

The notice of reconsideration of Bill No. 83, Ordinance No. 79 (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the construction of stables," given by Supervisor Coffey at the meeting of October 15, 1906, was withdrawn by said Supervisor.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payment, Water, Sprinkling Streets.

Resolution No. 445 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of one thousand (\$1000) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Spring Valley Water Company for water furnished for sprinkling public streets during months of July and August, 1906, as per contract and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harigan, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Park Commissioners.

Resolution No. 446 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of one thousand six hundred and fifteen and 61-100 (\$1615.61) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the Park Fund in payment to the following firms for forage and lumber furnished Park Commissioners:

To J. L. Vermeil, forage	\$100.13
To Pope & Talbot, lumber	613.48

\$1615.61

As per contract and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harigan, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Authorizing Refund Telegraph Hill Park Taxes.

Resolution No. 447 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of two thousand and forty-two and 28-100 (\$2042.28) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the Hibernia Savings and Loan Society for a refund of the taxes 1904-1905 for Telegraph Hill Park Bond Redemption and Interest Fund paid the Tax Collector and declared invalid by the Supreme Court.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harigan, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Authorizing Payment, Maintenance of Minors.

Resolution No. 448 (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of six hundred and fifty-four and 66-100 (\$654.66) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the General Fund in payment to

Brother Xenophon for maintenance and tuition of minors committed to St. Vincent's Asylum during month of September, 1906, as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Authorizing Payment, Lumber, Board of Public Works.

Resolution No. 449 (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of nine hundred and forty-five (\$945.00) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the General Fund in payment to J. N. Schouten & Co. for lumber furnished the Board of Public Works, as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Authorizing Payment, Balance Purchase, Land for Widening of Brannan Street at Tenth Street and Potrero Avenue.

Resolution No. 450 (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of thirty-five hundred (\$3500) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Pacific Improvement Company for balance due on the purchase price of portion of Potrero Nuevo Blocks 68 and 69 for street purposes. Total purchase price\$4500
Amount of first payment..... 1000

Amount of second payment
(this)\$3500

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 451 (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That John P. Lorden be and he is hereby granted permission to erect and maintain, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, a steam boiler of 125 horsepower in premises situate on the north line of Folsom street, 30 feet west from Sixth street, thence running to Harriet street, to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas,

Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 452 (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That R. Schimpfermoin be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 15 horsepower in premises on the northeast corner of Fifteenth street and Caledonia alley.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 453 (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That the Eureka California Soda Water Company be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 35 horsepower at premises situate at No. 10 Beiderman street.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 454 (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That Morgan & Wright and the Hartford Rubber Company be and they are hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 6 horsepower in premises situate at 423 Golden Gate avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 455 (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That the S. H. Harmon Lumber Company be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 250 horsepower at premises on the southwest corner of Bryant and Fifth streets, to be used in the operation of planing mill.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 456 (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That the W. J. Aitchison Mill Company be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 100 horsepower on the north side of Nineteenth street, 60 feet west from Guerrero street, to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson —14.

Resolution No. 457 (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That the Occidental Planing Mill be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 45 horsepower in premises on east side of Second street, 137.6 feet northerly from Townsend street, to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson —14.

Resolution No. 458 (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That the Plumas Mill and Lumber Company be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 35 horsepower in premises 571 Eighth street, between Bryant and Brannan streets, the same to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson —14.

Resolution No. 459 (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That Jean Pats be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 6 horsepower in premises situate at No. 2819½ Mission street, to be used in the operation of a laundry.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson —14.

Declaring Twentieth Avenue a Boulevard.

Bill No. 89, Ordinance No. 85 (New Series) entitled "Ordinance declaring

Twentieth (20th) avenue, from H street to W street, as the same are laid down upon the official map of the City and County of San Francisco, a boulevard."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson —14.

Repealing an Ordinance Declaring Nineteenth Avenue a Boulevard.

Bill No. 90, Ordinance No. 86 (New Series), entitled "Repealing an Ordinance numbered 1675, entitled 'An Ordinance declaring Nineteenth avenue from H street to Ocean avenue as the same' are laid down upon the map of the City and County of San Francisco, a boulevard, approved November 29, 1905."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson —14.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$19,087.31 and entered in Register of Demands No. 2 (New Series) and numbered consecutively therein 375 to 541 inclusive were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of the Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said demands having been duly approved by the Finance Committee, and on his motion said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson —14.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock: Resolution No. — (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That A. Rosa be and he is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 4 horsepower at premises No. 20

Oak Grove avenue, the same to be used in heating water for dairy purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That the Louvre be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 6 horsepower at premises on the southeast corner of Eddy and Fillmore streets, the same to be used in furnishing steam for cooking purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That the Auto Tire Repair Company be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 4 horsepower in premises No. 33 Sanchez street, the same to be used in vulcanizing auto tires.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That the California Artistic Metal and Wire Company be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 10 horsepower at premises Nos. 349 to 365 Seventh street, the same to be used for heating electro-plating solutions.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That Tait's Cafe be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 6 horsepower in premises on the southwest corner of Eddy street and Van Ness avenue, the same to be used for furnishing steam for cooking purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That the Puritan Dining Room be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 6 horsepower at premises on the east side of Mission street, near Sixteenth street, the same to be used for furnishing steam for cooking purposes.

Authorizing the Payment to the State of California and the Mt. St. Joseph's Asylum for Maintenance of Minors.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. — (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of one thousand three hundred and fifty-

one and 74-100 (\$1351.74) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the General Fund in payment to State of California and Mt. St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum for maintenance of minors, as follows:

To State of California, September, 1906	\$ 750.94
To Mt. St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum, September, 1906....	600.80

\$1351.74

As per bills rendered.

ORDERING STREET WORK.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 94, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same."

Accepting Deed to Extensions of Shrader, Cole and Belvedere Streets.

Also, Bill No. 95, Ordinance No. — (New Series); entitled, "Accepting a deed of land from G. A. Pope (president) and W. L. Culver (secretary) of the Pope Estate Company for the opening and extension of Shrader, Cole and Belvedere streets from the southerly line of Alma avenue to the northerly line of Seventeenth street, and of Rivoli avenue from the westerly line of Belvedere street, produced, to the westerly line of the Pope Estate Company's land."

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Relating to Sunnyside School.
Motion.

Supervisor Nicholas moved that John Barrett, representing the Sunnyside District, be granted the privilege of the floor.

So ordered.

Privilege of Floor.

Thereupon, Mr. Barrett addressed Board, requesting that the work of constructing the Sunnyside School provided for in the bond issue be proceeded with.

Matter referred to the Education Committee.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 4:30 o'clock, adjourned to meet on Saturday, October 20, 1906, at 10:30 a. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Saturday, October 20, 1906, 10:30 a. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment, His Honor Acting Mayor Gallagher presiding.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Nicholas, Sander-son, Walsh, Wilson—9.

No quorum.

ADJOURNMENT.

In the absence of a quorum the Board adjourned to meet on Monday afternoon, October 22, 1906, at 2:30 o'clock.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

MONDAY AFTERNOON, OCTOBER 22, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, October 22, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Quorum present.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

His Honor Acting Mayor Gallagher presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of the meetings of October 8th, 11th, 15th and 20th, 1906, was dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Petition—Of Property Owners, for the erection of gas lamps in Woodward avenue, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets.

To the Finance Committee.

Petitions—Of Cuyler Lee, presenting a Demand on the Treasury in the sum of \$1121.00, being for one Cadillac Delivery Car and apparatus therewith, furnished city officials.

Of Anselme Longet, with claim in the sum of \$970.25, for alleged damages caused by a mob in a riot which occurred at the corner of Montgomery

avenue and Lombard street, on April 20, 1906.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of Mrs. E. Mayers, for permission to erect a frame building in the fire limits, 1015 Powell street.

Of Hulse, Bradford & Co., for permission to install an oil tank of 1500 gallons capacity in premises No. 777 Harrison street.

Of Starr Bros., for permission to explode blasts during the work of removing walls and debris at premises No. 615 Taylor street.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of P. J. Curtis, to erect and maintain a stable on property situated on the north side of Eighteenth street, 100 feet west of Valencia street.

Of F. R. Nelson, for permission to erect and maintain a stable in premises situate on the south side of Harrison street, 175 feet east of Fifth street.

Of Joseph Schnietter, for permission to erect and maintain a stable in premises at Fourteenth street, between Guerrero and Dolores streets.

Of Ferrari Bros., for permission to erect and maintain a stable at premises at Mariposa and York streets.

To the Police Committee.

Communication—From the United Railroads of San Francisco, requesting that the Ordinance recently passed to print by the Board of Supervisors, regulating the equipment of street cars, be so amended as to afford the street car companies a reasonable time within which to comply with the provisions of the Ordinance.

Petition—Of W. Haiback, for the refund of the sum of \$2.50, paid for the redemption of a dog alleged to have been illegally impounded.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Petitions—Of the Parkside Transit Company, for a franchise for a term of 25 years, to operate a railroad on and over certain streets—Ocean avenue and others.

Of Property Owners along Post street, between Larkin and Leavenworth streets requesting that bids be asked for the sale of a street railway franchise along Post street from Larkin to Leavenworth streets, the same to be operated by the overhead trolley system.

Communication—From the Devisadero Street Improvement Association, submitting a Petition of Property Owners, requesting that bids be asked for the sale of a street railway fran-

chise along and over certain streets, commencing at the intersection of Page and Scott streets, connecting the Western Addition, Richmond and Mission Districts.

To the Committee on Streets, Sewers and Parks.

Communication—From the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company, requesting that the City Attorney furnish the Board with an opinion as to whether or not it is necessary to obtain permission to construct a spur track in Fourth street near Michigan street and running into Block No. 46.

Petitions—Of Property Owners, for the immediate placing in proper condition of Sixth street, from Market to Channel streets, by repaving said street, to relieve the congested condition of all streets south of Market street.

Of the Real Estate and Development Company, for permission to lay and maintain a spur track at property line, westerly line of Wisconsin street, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, to a point on the easterly line of Mississippi street, connecting with the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company on Seventh street.

Of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company, for permission to construct, maintain and operate a spur track beginning on the north line of Seventeenth street, 94 feet more or less west of Pennsylvania avenue.

Of Fred Owen, for permission to explode blasts for grading purposes in premises at Fifteenth and Potrero avenue.

Of the Parkside Realty Company, requesting a temporary permit for laying down railroad tracks over and across Ocean avenue, Nineteenth avenue and certain other streets.

Of E. W. McLellan & Co., for permission to explode blasts for wrecking purposes on site known as Palace Hotel.

File.

A Communication from the Public Health Association, informing the Board of its Annual Convention to be held in Mexico City, December 1, 1906, and tendering an invitation to a Committee representing the City and County of San Francisco, was received, read and ordered placed on file.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from

City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Committee on License and Orders.

From the Board of Police Commissioners, relative to the sale of liquors in packages known as a commercial quart, and requesting the passage of an Ordinance regulating this particular class of liquor dealing.

To the Finance Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, transmitting a Report of the City Engineer, with estimated cost for the repair of cisterns located in streets, and to be used for fire protection.

Also, transmitting a Report of the City Engineer enclosing an estimate of the cost of the construction of new cisterns for fire protection.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

From the Assessor, with requisition for the installation of electric lights in his department.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, relative to the width of sidewalks on Diamond street, and requesting a repeal of its prior recommendation.

Also, enclosing a Report of the City Engineer in the matter of the official grades of Beacon street, and on Thirty-first street.

Also, informing the Board that it has received a deed to certain land on Manchester street, and that it has approved the same, and requests the same deed be accepted and recorded.

Also, requesting authority to enter into contract for the construction of a reinforced concrete sewer with appurtenances in Eighteenth street, from the westerly line of Church street to a point 223 feet easterly from the easterly line of Folsom street, at an estimated cost of \$115,000, to be paid for out of the Bond issue.

Also, recommending that an extension of 15 days' time be granted to Flinn & Treacy from and after October 26, 1906, within which to complete their contract for the repaving of Pacific street, between Montgomery avenue and the westerly line of Stockton street.

Also, recommending the expediency of constructing artificial stone sidewalks on both sides of Twenty-fourth street, between Chattanooga and Noe streets.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of Jersey street, between Sanchez and Noe streets.

Also, recommending the establishment of a Glades street at the southerly line of Santa Maria street.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee, by Supervisor Rea, presented a report, which was received, read and placed on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing the Payment for Construction of a Sewer in Valencia Street.

Resolution No. 460 (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of two thousand four hundred and six and 30-100 (\$2406.30) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the Public Building Fund in payment to City Street Improvement Company for a concrete sewer in Valencia street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson.—16.

Authorizing the Payment for Supplies furnished Almshouse.

Resolution No. 461 (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of five hundred and eighty-two and 44-100 (\$582.44) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to Del Monte Milling Company for supplies furnished City and County Almshouse, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson.—16.

Granting an Extension of Time for Repaving Mission Street.

Resolution No. 462 (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That Williams & Belser be and are hereby granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after October 4, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the repaving of Mission street from Fifth to Sixth streets.

This extension of time is granted for

the reason that the contractor has been unable to complete the contract within the time originally fixed by the Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson.—16.

Action Postponed.

Regulating Street Passenger Car Traffic.

Bill No. 91, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An ordinance regulating the equipment and operation of street passenger cars in the City and County of San Francisco, prohibiting passengers from riding on specified portions of said cars, prohibiting persons from climbing or jumping upon, into, from or off such cars while in motion, or from boarding and entering such cars for the purpose of selling newspapers or other articles thereon or therein; prescribing certain duties of police officers with regard thereto, and prescribing penalties for violations hereof," was taken up on final passage.

Privilege of Floor.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas, James A. Kelly, representing the Building Trades Council, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board and requested that final passage of said Bill be postponed until Monday, October 29, 1906, when other representatives of the organization would be present to discuss the provisions of aforesaid Ordinance.

Motion.

Supervisor Wilson moved that the matter be postponed until the meeting on Thursday, October 25, 1906, for the purpose of hearing the representatives of the Building Trades Council.

Motion carried.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the treasury amounting to \$16,392.43, and entered in Register of Demands No. 2 (New Series) and numbered consecutively therein 548 to 1183 inclusive were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee by Supervisor Davis reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said demands having been duly approved by the Finance Committee, and on his motion said

demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Stationery Supplies.

On motion of Supervisor Coffey:

Resolution No. — (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of eight hundred and sixty-eight and 29-100 (\$368.29) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Cunningham, Curtiss & Welch for stationery, etc., furnished Stationery Department, as per contract and bills rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Erection Election Booths.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of five thousand four hundred and ninety-five (\$5495.00) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Fallon & Daley for erecting 35 election booths, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Fire Department.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock:

Resolution No. — (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of fifty-six hundred and eighty-nine and 59-100 (\$5689.59) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for forage, machinery, etc., furnished Fire Department, as follows:

Scott & Magner, forage, September	\$1523.00
James A. Snook & Co., forage, September	1201.59
Pacific Tool and Supply Company, machinery	2965.00
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	\$5689.59

Authorizing Payment, Lumber, Board of Public Works.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That an expenditure of six hundred and five (\$605.00) dollars be and the same is hereby authorized to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to J. W. Schouten & Co. for lumber furnished Board of Public Works, as per bill rendered.

Extension of Time, Street Work.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That Flinn & Treacy be and are hereby granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after November 4, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of a sewer in Seventh street from Market street to Howard street and in Market street between Seventh and Jones streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been delayed in making pile driving contracts for the sewer, which was not anticipated at the outset.

Permit to Blast.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock:

Resolution No. — (New Series) as follows:

Resolved that Applen Hicks Wrecking Company be and is hereby granted permission to explode blasts for the purpose of removing the walls of the building known as the Arizona Warehouse, located on Berry street, between Fifth and Sixth streets.

Provided said Applen Hicks Wrecking Company shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand dollars, as fixed by the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Ordering Construction of Sewer in Harrison Street, Between Fourth and Sixth Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 96, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of storm sewers in Harrison street, between Fourth street and Sixth street, approving and adopting specifications therefor, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing said work at an estimated cost to the City and County of San Francisco, of ten thousand (\$10,000.00) dollars, out of the proceeds of the sale of Sewer Bonds for the Construction of a Sewer system for the City and County of San Francisco."

Relating to Spur Track Privileges.

Action Postponed.

The certain Bills, granting privileges

for the laying and operating of spur tracks reported favorably upon by the Committee on Streets, Sewers and Parks, and presented for passage to print, were, on motion of Supervisor Wilson, laid over one week.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted and numbered as follows, to wit:

Appointing Architects for Sunnyside School.

On motion of Supervisor Furey:

Resolution No. 463. Appointing Messrs. Smith and Stone architects on the construction of the proposed Sunnyside School building.

Removal of Debris.

Also, Resolution No. 464, Directing the United Railroads of San Francisco to remove debris from the south side of Haight street, from Masonic avenue to Stanvan street, and on Sacramento street, between Fillmore and Devisadero streets, where recent excavations have been made by it in order that sewer outlets and cesspools will be free from obstruction.

Lease of Premises for Morgue Purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas:

Resolution No. 465, Authorizing his Honor the Mayor to enter into a lease for certain land on Fell street, west of Gough street, at a monthly rental of \$40.00, to be used for the erection thereon of the Public Morgue.

Relating to Construction of School Buildings.

On motion of Supervisor Wilson:

Resolution No. 466, Providing that school houses hereafter erected under the Bond issue in locations outside the fire limits shall be of frame construction and when located within the fire limits to be "Class A" construction, and also directing that the construction of said buildings be commenced immediately.

Extension of Time, Equipment of Safety Appliances, Street Cars.

Action Deferred.

Supervisor Sanderson introduced a Resolution granting an extension of 30 days' time to the United Railroads and street railway companies operating cars in this City and County in which to comply with the proposed Ordinance requiring said companies to equip cars with enclosures to protect operators,

and moved that action on the same be postponed until Thursday, October 25, 1906, for consideration with Bill No. 91, "Regulating the equipment of street railway cars."

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 4:45 o'clock, adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Thursday, October 25, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Quorum present.

His Honor Acting Mayor Gallagher presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petitions—Of Amy E. Howe and Sidney H. Peddar, for the refunding to them of the sum of \$69.47, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

Of Robert Moore, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$5.30, on alleged erroneous payment of personal property tax on the Assessment Roll of 1906.

To the Finance Committee.

Petition—Of Chas. Vosmer, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$272 in money and a gold watch of the value of \$180 or its equivalent in money; said articles being taken from him by the Police Department at the time of his arrest, on April 7th, 1906.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of Julius Godeau, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 40 horsepower in premises situate at No. 2136 Lombard

street, the same to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Of the Pacific Coast Wool Depot, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 100 horsepower in premises situate at No. 561 Sixth street, the same to be used in process of scouring and pressing wool.

Also, for permission to store and use crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises No. 561 Sixth street.

Of Wm. Eicher, for permission to store and use crude petroleum in premises No. 421 Lyon street.

Communication—From the Badger Fire Extinguisher Company, submitting exposition of the merits of its apparatus for fire protection.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of the Central Transfer Company, for permission to maintain a stable of five horses at premises situate on the northwest corner of Hayes street and Masonic avenue.

Of D. S. Cartwright, for permission to construct and maintain a stable for over four horses on the westerly line of Harrison street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets.

Protest—Of Mrs. E. Hilderbrand and others, against granting permission to establish a stable at No. 83 Valparaiso street.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Petition—Of the Parkside Transit Company, for a franchise for a term of 25 years, to construct and operate a single and double track street railroad over and along certain streets and private property in territory known as "Sunset District" and "Lake Merced Rancho".

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petitions—Of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad Company, for permission to construct and maintain a spur track on Indiana street, between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets.

Of the Parkside Realty Company of San Francisco, for permission to lay and maintain a temporary track for grading purposes over and along certain streets and private property in territory commonly known as the "Sunset District" and the "Lake Merced Rancho".

Of the Kreig Tanning Company and numerous other owners of property on San Bruno avenue and vicinity, to require the Ocean Shore Railway Com-

pany to cross San Bruno avenue at grade instead of with an overhead crossing.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Department of Electricity, requesting that the sum of \$1716 be set aside for the purpose of installing a gong circuit system for the Fire Department.

To the Printing and Salaries Committee.

From the City Attorney, with requisition for certain stationery.

To the Joint Committee on Public Buildings and Finance.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending that authorization be given for the payment of the expense of fitting up the respective offices of the Tax Collector and the Assessor.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of constructing artificial stone sidewalks on the south side of H. street, between Fourteenth and Twenty-first avenues, the expense thereof to be assessed on private property.

Also, recommending the ordering of the following street work, to wit:

1. That plank sidewalks be constructed on Berry street, between Fourth and Seventh streets.

2. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the westerly side of Clayton street, between Parnassus avenue and a point 325 feet southerly therefrom.

Also, submitting map showing extent and boundaries of the district affected by and to be assessed for the change of grades on Vallejo street, between Jones and Taylor streets, and also submitting estimate of cost of making said proposed changes of grade.

File.

A Communication from the City Attorney transmitting copy of opinion rendered the Board of Police Commissioners as to the constitutionality of Section 6 of Ordinance No. 39, "Imposing a license on liquor dealers," was received, read and ordered placed on file.

MESSAGE FROM MAYOR.

Notice of Suspension of William H. Langdon from Office of District Attorney, with Specifications of Causes of Such Suspension.

To the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: Pursuant to the provisions of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, and especially in pursuance of Sections 18 and 19 of Article XVI thereof, I, James L. Gallagher, Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco, do hereby suspend William H. Langdon, District Attorney of the City and County of San Francisco, and an elected officer thereof, for cause, as hereinafter assigned and specified, and I hereby notify you of such suspension and the causes therefor, which are as hereinafter assigned and specified:

Said cause is contained in the following specifications, which specifications I hereby also present to you as the written charges against said William H. Langdon, District Attorney as aforesaid, and I hereby present said specifications of causes of such suspension as written charges against said William H. Langdon, District Attorney, suspended by me as aforesaid.

Specification 1:

Neglect of Duty.

In this, that for a period of about thirty days prior to the presentation of these charges the said William H. Langdon, District Attorney as aforesaid, has absented himself from the City and County of San Francisco, without leave and has neglected his official duties, being during that time engaged in the canvass and campaign for the office of Governor of the State of California.

That during said time, owing to the recent disaster a large number of acts of violence have occurred at the hands of criminals congregating in said City, resulting in an excessive and unusual number of murders, mahnings, assassinations, assaults and other crimes of violence tending to render the City unsafe and to injure its reputation, yet the said District Attorney, wilfully, without permission from any of the public authorities of said City and County did absent himself a greater portion of said time from said City and County and so negligently conducted and performed the duties of his said office as District Attorney as to render no active or efficient assistance to said City and County in the proper prosecution, detection or preventing of

any of said crimes and during the main portion of said period did leave his said office without the aid of his superintendence, direction or service, thereby being guilty of inefficiency in such public office and being negligent and inattentive in the performance of his public duties at a time when the unusual activity of those engaged in crimes of violence demanded and required his personal presence and greatest personal activity to aid in preventing, or attempting to prevent, detecting or attempting to detect or punish the said crimes or the persons guilty thereof.

Specification 2:

Neglect and Dereliction of Duty.

In this, that during the period of about thirty days last past, the newspapers of the City and County of San Francisco have published and proclaimed that the said William H. Langdon, as District Attorney, and others co-operating with him, was and for months past had been in the possession of evidence sufficient to convict certain officials of the City and County of serious crimes. These charges have been repeated daily and within the knowledge and cognizance of said District Attorney, and yet notwithstanding said knowledge and said purposes, the said District Attorney has failed to cause the arrest of any of said officials, and if the charges so publicly made are and were not true, the said District Attorney had knowledge of said falsity and untruth and yet notwithstanding said knowledge has failed to cause the arrest of the publishers or editors of the newspapers for publishing said statements for criminal libel.

Specification 3:

Neglect and Violation of Duty.

That under the provisions of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, it is part of the duty of the District Attorney when required, to advise the Board of Police Commissioners, the Chief of Police, the Board of Health, or the Coroner, as to the matters relating to the duties of their respective offices, yet notwithstanding said official duty, the said William H. Langdon, as such District Attorney, has entered into combination and conspiracy for political purposes and effect to bring unmerited discredit upon said officials or some of them and has failed to advise them relative to their duties and has assumed a position and attitude inconsistent with his duty to the

Police Commissioners and the Chief of Police, thereby tending to impair and demoralize the Police Department of said City at a serious and critical time.

Specification 4:

Neglect and Violation of Duty.

That the said William H. Langdon, being the District Attorney of said City and County of San Francisco, as aforesaid, during the period above mentioned in addition to neglecting his public duties as above set forth, instead of aiding the authorities of said City and County, did on the contrary engage in and assist in a combination in the interest of certain insurance corporations and other persons, to injure and defame the character of the Chief Executive of this City, Mayor Eugene E. Schmitz, in substance as follows:

A large number of German insurance companies having lost many millions of dollars by the conflagration of April 18, 1906, having denied their liability, Eugene E. Schmitz, Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco, deemed it advisable in the interest of the up-building and rehabilitation of the City to visit the German Empire in his official capacity for the purpose of stating the true facts concerning said conflagration to the Home officials of said company and to use his personal influence wherever the same would be available in the German Empire, with a view to cause the said insurance companies to pay the said losses; and deeming said matter one of great public interest, the said Mayor did obtain from the Board of Supervisors a leave of absence from the City and County of San Francisco for a period of sixty days from October 1, 1906; and after he left on said mission, a combination, plot and plan was formed for the purpose of defaming and injuring and weakening the standing and reputation of said Eugene E. Schmitz, in order that his said attempts might be discredited and to destroy whatever influence the Chief Executive of this City might have in dealing with the said insurance companies at their Home offices and in obtaining influence abroad to compel said companies to properly recognize their obligations, and that as a part of said scheme, it was determined to print and publish in the newspapers of San Francisco, charges against the said Mayor which were false, malicious and slanderous, and known so to be by the parties engaged in said scheme, and among other things said persons so engaged did

cause it to be published that the Chief Executive of this City was a fugitive from justice and had absconded from the City and County of San Francisco; and that the said William H. Langdon, as District Attorney of the City and County of San Francisco, and acting in his capacity as such, did aid, assist and abet and further the said scheme as aforesaid, and has become and is an active party thereto to the end that said Mayor should be induced to return to San Francisco to defend himself against such charges before he could have time to accomplish the said purpose for which he went to said German Empire.

Specification 5:

Violation of Duty and Use of Office for Ulterior Purposes.

That during the Fall of 1905, one Francis J. Heney, in a public speech in said City and County aspersed the character and good name of a prominent citizen of this community and stated that he knew him to be corrupt and said citizen having instantly demanded that said Heney be compelled to make proof of said assertions and said Heney having been compelled to appear before the Grand Jury of said City and County of San Francisco with reference thereto, there admitted that he had made such statements without any personal knowledge or evidence regarding the same, which facts were widely published at the time and brought said Heney into obliquy and contempt from which time said Heney has been possessed of a purpose to effect a personal revenge both against the object of his false charges and against Eugene E. Schmitz, Mayor of San Francisco, and all of these facts were and are well known to said William H. Langdon, as District Attorney as aforesaid; yet notwithstanding said knowledge, and within the month of October, 1906, the said William H. Langdon, in order to enable said Heney to use public office, position and power to gratify his spirit of revenge and malice, did appoint said Heney Assistant District Attorney of said City and County and did turn over to him the powers of office of said District Attorney in order that he might gratify his private revenge and malice.

Specification 6:

That prior to such appointment as such Assistant District Attorney, said Francis J. Heney has publicly assailed the Judges of the Superior Court of this City and County as corrupt and

crooked and had denounced all or nearly all of them as dishonest and corrupt and yet has failed at any time to make proof of such charges, which facts were all well known to said William H. Langdon, District Attorney as aforesaid, from the time of the utterance, which was long anterior to the time of said Heney's appointment by said Langdon, and said Langdon also knew that said Heney frequently while intoxicated, made grave and serious charges involving the personal character of citizens of this City, yet, notwithstanding such knowledge, said William H. Langdon did appoint said Heney to such office, knowing that the said Heney in such office would be required to appear before the Judges whose character he had thus aspersed, and to practice in their Courts, did appoint said Heney to said office, which appointment is not conducive to the proper co-operation which should exist between the Judges of the Superior Court and the office of District Attorney.

Specification 7:

That said Francis J. Heney at and prior to the time of his appointment as special District Attorney was the representative of the corporation controlling street car systems of said City and County in a certain dispute between said corporation and its employees. That the appointment of said Heney to said office will, in regard to the enforcement of law against said corporation, be prejudicial and detrimental to the interests of said City and County.

Specification 8:

That prior to the turning over of said District Attorneys' office and its powers to said Francis J. Heney, as hereinabove specified, the City and County of San Francisco had intended to procure its own water supply and thereby to prevent the exorbitant charges for water now exacted by the private corporation controlling the City's water supply, and that it was about to take proceedings to provide a safe and secure supply of water for said City and County of San Francisco for domestic use, extinction of conflagrations, etc., and that such purpose was greatly to the interest of said City and County of San Francisco. That said corporation now supplying water to said City and County is bitterly opposed to the acquiring of a water supply to the City and County of San Francisco on account of its present monopoly. Said Francis J. Heney has been and is at-

torney employed by said Water Company, and his attorneyship for such company is inconsistent with the holding of a place as Assistant District Attorney, and against the best interests of the people of San Francisco.

Specification 9:

That in the interest of the corporations and persons before mentioned, or some or all of them, together with persons unknown, large sums of money have been and are being raised for the purpose of slandering, defaming and injuring the reputation of said Mayor Eugene E. Schmitz and of suborning perjury against him, thereby injuring the interests of said City and County and its residents and inhabitants; and said William H. Langdon, as such District Attorney knowing said facts, by the appointment of said Heney is knowingly aiding and abetting the said plot and scheme.

Specification 10:

Violation of Duty and Ulterior Use of Office.

That since the appointment of said F. J. Heney as an Assistant District Attorney of the City and County of San Francisco by said William H. Langdon, the said Langdon and the said Heney have caused to be published, or have been parties to the publication, of open and covert threats against the Superior Judges of the City and County of San Francisco for the purpose of influencing the judicial action of said Judges.

Specification 11:

That the appointment of said Heney as such District Attorney was made by said Langdon in furtherance of the combination aforesaid, and at the dictation of certain newspaper influences and individuals who have contributed many thousands of dollars to further the political ambitions and aspiration of said William H. Langdon and other persons, and to secure through the appointment of said Heney the consummation of a political plan and the wreaking of their private revenges against Eugene E. Schmitz, Mayor of San Francisco, and the Board of Supervisors and the Police Department of the City and County of San Francisco and their political supporters, and to generally disrupt the business and proper government of this City, and also for the purpose of attempting to influence the ensuing election. And said combination is also in pursuance of a well-defined and organized plan, backed by contributors of the money above referred

to, for the purpose of controlling and subjecting the labor market and the wage earners.

And the said William H. Langdon turned over said office of District Attorney as aforesaid to said Francis J. Heney with the intent and purpose and with the understanding that said Francis J. Heney would and should abuse said position, and use his said position as a deputy in a substantial control of said office of District Attorney, to gratify his own private and personal revenge, and also with the intent that said Francis J. Heney through said office should produce before the Grand Jury of said City and County illegal and hearsay evidence and evidence which by law said Grand Jury is forbidden to act upon, and procure such Grand Jury to return indictments against innocent citizens of said City and County upon such illegal and hearsay evidence for the purpose of gratifying the private revenge of said Francis J. Heney and the political ambitions of said William H. Langdon. And said William H. Langdon also further turned over said office and power to said Francis J. Heney with the intent and purpose that said Francis J. Heney in such position should advise such Grand Jury that matters and acts not constituting an offense at law, were indictable offenses, and thus and thereby falsely and unlawfully procure indictments against innocent citizens of said City and County.

Specification 12:

That in addition to the purposes hereinabove specified as a foundation and reason for the acts set forth, that all the acts hereinabove charged and set forth as having been done, aided, abetted or assisted by said William H. Langdon as said District Attorney, were so done and performed by said William H. Langdon as such District Attorney to promote his own political ambitions and upon and at the eve of an election about to occur in the State of California, at which said William H. Langdon is a candidate for Governor, all with intent to deceive and mislead electors and voters and to procure an increased vote for himself as such candidate for Governor.

Insufficiency in the office of District Attorney, and neglect on the part of the District Attorney and his office to perform the duties of his office.

Dated San Francisco, October 25th, 1906.

JAMES L. GALLAGHER,

Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco.

Read and rules ordered suspended for consideration.

Motion.

Supervisor Sanderson moved that William H. Langdon be served with a copy of the Message of his Honor the Mayor, suspending him from the office of District Attorney of the City and County of San Francisco, and that he be notified to appear in person in defense of the charges contained in said message, but with the right to be represented by counsel, at a meeting of the Board of Supervisors to be held on Thursday, November 1, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

So ordered.

Appointment of District Attorney.

His Honor the Mayor stated that he had appointed A. Ruef to the office of District Attorney, vice William H. Langdon suspended, and that Mr. Ruef had accepted said appointment and qualified for the office.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Action Postponed.

On motion action on all matters on final passage at this day's meeting was postponed until the next session.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$53,933.08, and entered in Register of Demands No. 2 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 1201 to 1847 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—15.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payments, Water Service.

On motion of Supervisor Phillips:

Resolution No. — (New Series).

Authorizing an expenditure of \$9500, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Spring Valley Water Company for water for hydrants and sprinkling for the months of July, Aug-

ust. September and October, as per contract and bills rendered.

Authorizing Payments, Lighting Service and Stationery Supplies.

On motion of Supervisor Davis:

Resolution No. — (New Series).
Authorizing an expenditure of \$27,-488.46, to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to the following firms:

San Francisco Gas and Electric Co., to gas and electricity, June	\$13,364.95
San Francisco Gas and Electric Co., to gas and electricity, May	12,227.70
Brown & Powers, stationery, etc.	735.25
Brown & Powers, stationery, etc.	560.56

\$27,488.46

As per contract and bills rendered.

Engine and Boiler Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock:

Resolution No. — (New Series),
Granting J. A. Gay permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of eight (8) horsepower in premises situate 826 O'Farrell street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Park.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$9,419.52, to be made out of the Park Fund in payment to:	
J. L. Vermeil, forage.....	\$1002.13
Pope & Talbot, lumber	613.48
J. L. Vermeil, forage	1529.14
Pope & Talbot, lumber.....	876.35
Christian Froelich, material...	2173.45
C. E. Brady & Son, labor.....	559.25
The McGilvray Stone Co., labor, etc.	1820.70
Thos. Butler, labor, etc.....	845.02

\$9419.53

As per contract and bills rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Construction Approach to Third Street Bridge.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$10,956.93, to be made out of the surplus Fund in payment to Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company for constructing approaches to Third-street bridge, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Brick, Board of Public Works.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series),

Authorizing an expenditure of \$550 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to San Francisco Brick Company for brick furnished Board of Public Works, as per contract and bill rendered.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Providing for Construction of Harbor Police Station.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas:

Resolution No. 467 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendation of the Police Department the sum of \$5300.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended out of available funds for the construction of a two-story frame building for the use of the Harbor Police Station, to be erected on the lot of land situate on the northeast corner of Drumm and Commercial streets, and to be constructed in accordance with the plans heretofore prepared by Sergeant Russell of the Police Department.

Providing for Fitting Up of Public Offices.

Also, Resolution No. 468 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following sums of money be and they are hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended out of available funds in payment for fitting up and repairs, as follows:

Tax Collector's office	\$1500.00
Assessor's office	810.00
Repairs Seventeenth-street Police Station	5000.00
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	\$7310.00

Further resolved, That the attention of the Auditor and Treasurer be and is hereby called to the provisions of this Resolution.

Permitting Erection of Cottages for Refugees on Pennsylvania Avenue.

Also, Resolution No. 469 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Land and Building Department of the San Francisco Relief and Red Cross Funds be and is hereby granted permission to erect and maintain cottages for refugees upon the unopened portions of Pennsylvania avenue, between Nineteenth and Twenty-second streets, and on Twentieth street, between Iowa and Pennsylvania avenue.

The said cottages to remain for the purpose of housing refugees until December 1, 1907.

Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. 470 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 79 of this Board, that the following persons be granted permission to erect and maintain stables at the respective locations hereinafter mentioned:

F. R. Nelson—On the south side of Harrison street, 175 feet east of Fifth street.

Ferrari Bros.—On the corner of Mariposa and York streets.

D. S. Cartwright—On the west line of Harrison street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets.

Providing for Installation of "Gong Circuit" for Fire Department.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock: Resolution No. 471 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The Chief Engineer of the Fire Department and the Chief of the Department of Electricity deem it im-

practicable at present to install the proposed "Joker Circuit" for the Fire Department, and recommend that the "Old Gong Circuit" be substituted for the proposed "Joker Circuit", the cost of which "Old Gong Circuit" is estimated by the Chief of the Department of Electricity at the sum of \$1716.00; therefore be it

Resolved, That the sum of seventeen hundred and sixteen dollars (\$1716.00) be and the same is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended for the installation of said "Old Gong Circuit" for the use of the Fire Department.

Further resolved, That the attention of the Auditor and Treasurer be and the same is hereby called to the provisions of this resolution.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 6:55 o'clock, adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, October 29, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sander-son, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Quorum present.

His Honor Acting Mayor Jas. L. Gallagher presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of the meetings of October 8, 11, 15, 18, 20 and 22, 1906, were read and approved. The reading of the Journal of October 25, 1906, was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Petitions—Of Cornelius Egan and other property owners, for the installation of a street light on the north-east corner of Nineteenth and York streets.

Of K. A. Stolner and other property owners, for the installation of a street light on the corner of Twenty-fifth and Church streets.

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petitions—Of W. J. Seigar, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$3.00, an alleged erroneous payment of poll taxes for the year 1905.

Of Brewster F. Ames, attorney for H. Fujimoto, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$50.00, bail money deposited with Bond and Warrant Clerk and forfeited in error in trial of action of People vs. Nobia.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of Hulse, Bradford Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 6 horsepower in premises No. 768 Harrison street.

Of the Domestic Laundry Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 75 horsepower in premises situate on Cumberland place, between Angelica and Valencia streets.

Also, for permission to store and use crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in premises situate on Cumberland street, between Angelica and Valencia streets.

Of Jos. Rogers, for permission to store and use crude oil in premises situate on the southwesterly corner of Twenty-sixth and Shotwell streets.

Of R. R. Thompson, for permission to explode blasts for the purpose of removing ruins from lot situate at southwest corner Market and Main streets.

Protest—Of the Mission Promotion Association, against the maintenance of an engine and boiler in saw mill on Nineteenth street west of Guerrero street.

Petitions—Of Geo. P. Ide & Company and numerous other merchants, whose places of business are located between Sixth and Seventh, Irwin and Yuma streets, that a temporary permit be granted the United Railroads of San Francisco to construct and operate a street railway line from Sixteenth and Kansas along Sixteenth street in an easterly direction to Seventh street.

Also, to determine by resolution that a franchise be granted for the construction and operation of a street railway upon Sixteenth street from its intersection with Kansas street to the west-erly or southwesterly line of Seventh street.

Of A. S. Lillie and numerous other property owners and residents of the Noe Valley District, to submit for bids a franchise for a street railroad from

the intersection of Mission and Twenty-sixth streets, along Twenty-sixth street westerly to Diamond street and along Diamond street to Thirtieth street; also, on Bryant street from Twenty-sixth to Army street; also, on Army street from San Bruno avenue to Kentucky street.

Communications—From the Ingleside Improvement Club, calling attention to the inadequate street car service rendered in the Ingleside District, and requesting that this condition be remedied.

From J. W. Wright & Sons Investment Company, approving action of the Board in granting railroad and other privileges to the Parkside Realty Company of San Francisco.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petitions — Of Nathan - Dohrmann Company and numerous other merchants and others doing business in the southerly portion of the city, to arrange and provide for the immediate paving of Sixth street from Market street to Channel street, in order to relieve the congested condition of all streets below Market street.

Of Timothy Carroll, for permission to erect dumps in certain portions of the City and County and to use his patent dumping apparatus for the purpose of removing debris and other material.

Communications—From the Parkside Realty Company of San Francisco, recommending that before final action is taken in the matter of closing certain streets as specified in resolution of intention of the Board of Supervisors No. 432, that Nineteenth avenue, between "S" and "N" streets be eliminated.

From Holbrook, Merrill & Stetson, calling attention to the fact that the sewer on Sixth street at the corner of Bluxome street, is in such a deplorable condition as to render it impassible for teams.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Public Buildings Committee.

From the Chief Surgeon of the Emergency Hospital, with requisition for the transfer of telephone from No. 1121 Guerrero street to No. 1820 Sutter street.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of performing the following street work, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part upon private property:

1. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on Third avenue, between Pt. Lobos avenue and "A" street and on "A" street from Third avenue to Sixth avenue.

2. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on Waller street, between Steiner street and Clayton street.

3. That artificial stone sidewalks and a bituminous rock pavement be constructed on the crossing of Seventh avenue and Clement street, and that stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the four angular corners of Eighth avenue and Clement street.

4. That stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the four angular corners of Eighth avenue and "I" street, on Ninth avenue and "M" street, and on Ninth avenue and "N" street, and that the crossing of "K" street and Tenth avenue be graded to official line and grade and that stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks be constructed thereon.

Also, recommending that the Barber Asphalt Paving Company be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after October 16, 1906, within which to complete their contract for the repaving of Van Ness avenue, between Vallejo and Green streets.

Also, recommending that the Barber Asphalt Paving Company be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after November 9, 1906, within which to complete their contract for the construction of curbs and pavement on Ellis street, between Stockton and Larkin streets.

Also, recommending that the Barber Asphalt Paving Company be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after November 9, 1906, within which to complete their contract for the construction of curbs and pavements on Mission street, between Sixth and Ninth streets.

Also, recommending that J. J. Dowling be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after September 20, 1906, within which to complete construction of sewer in Fourteenth street, between Valencia and Howard streets.

Also, recommending that C. S. Harney be granted an extension of 90 days'

time from and after November 10, 1906, within which to complete his contract for the improvement of Fourth street from Howard to Freelon streets.

Also, recommending that the Pacific Coast Construction Company be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after November 13, 1906, within which to complete their contract for the construction of sewers on Sixth street, between Howard and Brannan streets.

Also, recommending that Jno. Spargo be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after October 24, 1906, within which to complete his contract for the construction of granite curbs and artificial stone sidewalks on Tenth avenue, between Point Lobos avenue and "A" street.

Also, recommending that the street numbers of each block be placed beneath the street names on every block, as suggested by the California Club.

File.

A Communication from the City Attorney, submitting an opinion rendered the Board of Police Commissioners, relative to the legal construction of the words "existing liquor license" specified in Section 6 of the Liquor License Ordinance, was received, read and ordered placed on file.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee, by Supervisor Rea, presented a report, which was received, read and ordered filed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 472 (New Series), Granting A. Rosa permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 4 horsepower at premises No. 20 Oak Grove avenue, the same to be used in heating water for dairy purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 473 (New Series), Granting The Louvre permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 6 horsepower at premises on the southeast corner of Eddy and Fill-

more streets, the same to be used in furnishing steam for cooking purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 474 (New Series), Granting the Auto Tire Repair Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 4 horsepower in premises No. 33 Sanchez street, the same to be used in vulcanizing auto tires.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 475 (New Series), Granting the California Artistic Metal and Wire Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 10 horsepower at premises Nos. 249 to 365 Seventh street, the same to be used for heating electroplating solutions.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 476 (New Series), Granting Tait's Cafe permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 6 horsepower in premises on the southwest corner of Eddy street and Van Ness avenue, the same to be used for furnishing steam for cooking purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Resolution No. 477 (New Series), Granting The Puritan Dining Room permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 6 horsepower in premises on the east side of Mission street, near Sixteenth street, the same to be used for furnishing steam for cooking purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 94, Ordinance No. 87 (New

Series). entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order that artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the southerly side of "H" street, between the easterly line of Eighth avenue and westerly line of Thirteenth avenue.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Accepting Deed to Extensions of Shrader, Cole and Belvedere Streets.

Bill No. 95, Ordinance No. 88 (New Series), entitled, "Accepting a deed of land from G. A. Pope (president) and W. L. Culver (secretary) of the Pope Estate Company for the opening and extension of Shrader, Cole and Belvedere streets from the southerly line of Alma avenue to the northerly line of Seventeenth street, and of Rivoli avenue from the westerly line of Belvedere street, produced, to th westerly line of the Pope Estate Company's land."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Authorizing Payment, Maintenance of Minors.

Resolution No. 478 (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$1351.74 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to State of California and Mt. St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum for maintenance of minors, as follows:

To State of California, September, 1906 \$750.94
To Mt. St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum, September, 1906 ... 600.80

\$1351.74

As per bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Authorizing Payment, Stationery Supplies.

Resolution No. 479 (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$868.29 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Cunningham, Curtiss & Welch for stationery, etc., furnished

Stationery Department, as per contract and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Authorizing Payment, Erection of Election Booths.

Resolution No. 480 (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$5495 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Fallon & Daley for erecting 35 election booths, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Fire Department.

Resolution No. 841 (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$5689.59 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for forage, machinery, etc., furnished Fire Department, as follows:

Scott & Magner, forage, September \$1523.00
James A. Snook & Co., forage, September 1201.59
Pacific Tool and Supply Company, machinery 2965.00

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Authorizing Payment, Lumber, Board of Public Works.

Resolution No. 482 (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$605 to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to J. W. Schouten & Company for lumber furnished Board of Public Works, as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Ordering Construction of Sewer in Harrison Street, Between Fourth and Sixth Streets.

Bill No. 96, Ordinance No. 89 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the construction of storm sewers in Harrison street, between Fourth street and Sixth street, approving and adopting specifications therefor, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing said work at an estimated cost to the City and County of

San Francisco of ten thousand (\$10,000.00) dollars, out of the proceeds of the sale of Sewer Bonds for the Construction of the Sewer System of the City and County of San Francisco."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Extensions of Time, Street Work.

Resolution No. 483 (New Series). Granting Flinn & Treacy an extension of ninety days' time from and after November 4, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of a sewer in Seventh street from Market street to Howard street and in Market street between Seventh and Jones streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been delayed in making pile driving contracts for the sewer, which was not anticipated at the outset.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Permit to Blast.

Resolution No. 484 (New Series). Granting Applen Hicks Wrecking Company permission to explode blasts for the purpose of removing the walls of the building known as the Arizona Warehouse, located on Berry street between Fifth and Sixth streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

Regulating Street Car Traffic.

Bill No. 91. Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance regulating the equipment and operation of street passenger cars in the City and County of San Francisco, prohibiting passengers from riding on specified portions of said cars, prohibiting persons from climbing or jumping upon, into, from or off such cars while in motion, or from boarding and entering such cars for the purpose of selling newspapers or other articles thereon or therein; prescribing certain duties of police officers with regard thereto, and prescribing penalties for violations hereof," laid over from a prior meeting, was taken up on final passage.

Amendment.

Supervisor Nicholas moved to amend

Sections 5 and 6 of Bill by striking out therefrom those portions prohibiting persons standing on running boards and lower steps of cars.

Amendment carried.

Passed for Printing.

Whereupon, Bill No. 91, as amended, was passed for printing by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$39,795.82, and entered in Register of Demands No. 2 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 1855 to 2532 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Sanderson, Walsh, Wilson—17.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Granting F. A. Healy a Permit for Pipe Line.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 97. Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting a permit to F. A. Healy, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to lay, maintain and use, for the transportation of steam and hot water, for steam heating purposes, a pipe line in and along certain streets, to be used exclusively by said F. A. Healy, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns."

Full Acceptance Streets.

Also, Bill No. 98. Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the full acceptance of the roadway of Diamond street between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets, Castro street between Fifteenth and Henry streets,

Jersey street between Sanchez and Noe streets, Twenty-sixth street between Guerrero and Dolores streets, including the intersection of Fair Oaks street, crossing of Castro and Fifteenth streets, crossing of Diamond and Nineteenth streets, paved with bituminous rock."

Fixing Width of Diamond Street Sidewalks.

Also, Bill No. 99, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by amending Section 213 thereof," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Diamond street between Seventeenth street and Eighteenth street at fifteen (15) feet.

Establishing Grades on Gladys Street.

Also, Bill No. 100, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades at certain points on Gladys street."

Extensions of Time, Street Work.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Flinn & Treacy an extension of fifteen days' time from and after October 26, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the work of repaving Pacific street between Montgomery avenue and the westerly line of Stockton street.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to procure basin heads to complete the work.

Also, Resolution No. — New Series), Granting the City Street Improvement Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after October 12, 1906, within which to complete the contract for repaving Larkin street between Hayes and McAllister streets, and an extension of ninety days' time from and after October 30, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the repaving of Valencia street between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets.

These extensions of time are granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to complete the work within the time originally fixed by the Board of Public Works.

Granting Permit to Parkside Realty Company to Lay Temporary Tracks.

On motion of Supervisor Boxton:

Bill No. 101, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting to the Parkside Realty Company of San Francisco permission for the laying down of railroad tracks and the running of cars thereon upon certain streets and portions of streets in the City and

County of San Francisco for the purpose of excavating and filling in such streets or portions of streets or the adjoining land."

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Appointing Architect for McKinley School.

On motion of Supervisor Boxton:

Resolution No. 485 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The Board of Education recommends that provision be made at once for the erection of certain school buildings authorized under the Bond Issue for public improvements, among which appear that of the McKinley School, to be constructed on City property at Fourteenth and Castro streets; and

Whereas, It is inexpedient to call for competitive architectural plans, specifications, designs and suggestions for the construction of said McKinley School as provided for in Ordinance No. 1767 of the Board of Supervisors, approved March 12, 1906, due to the urgent and pressing necessity for school facilities in that school district, and it appears that public interest and necessity will be best and more expeditiously served by the selection and appointment of an architect by the Board of Supervisors to prepare the necessary suggestions and designs for plans for the construction of said school, as authorized and permitted by Section 16a of said Ordinance No. 1767, as amended August 28, 1906; now therefore be it

Resolved, That George E. McCrea be and he is hereby appointed consulting architect, under the provisions of said Ordinance No. 1767 of the Board of Supervisors for the purpose of preparing all drawings and specifications, suggestions and designs for plans for the construction of the McKinley School, on the land hereinafter described, at a compensation of three and one-half (3½) per centum of the cost of the construction of the said building as provided by section 14 of said ordinance.

The said consulting architect is hereby authorized and instructed to prepare in the general manner outlined in the Ordinance No. 1767 plans and specifications, suggestions and designs for a twelve-room building, the total cost thereof, inclusive of fees allowed for the consulting and supervising architects, not to exceed the sum of \$81,000, and to submit the same within thirty

days to the Board of Public Works and the Board of Education, in order to permit said Board of Public Works to recommend to the Supervisors the immediate construction of said McKinley School under the direction and supervision of said Board of Public Works.

The site of the proposed McKinley School is as follows: Commencing at the southwesterly corner of Fourteenth and Castro streets; thence westerly along the southerly line of Fourteenth street three hundred and twenty (320) feet; thence at right angles southerly two hundred and thirty (230) feet to the northerly line of Henry street, and thence easterly along said last named line three hundred and twenty (320) feet to the westerly line of Castro street; thence northerly along said last named line two hundred and thirty (230) feet to the point of commencement; being a portion of Mission Block No. 121.

Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. 486 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That in accordance with Ordinance No. 79 (New Series), permission be and the same is hereby granted the following persons to erect and conduct stables to contain more than four horses at the following locations, to wit:

To P. J. Curtis, in premises situate at the north side of Eighteenth street, one hundred feet west of Valencia street.

To Upton, Rowe & Co., in premises situate at north side of Clara street, 165 feet west of Fourth street.

To G. W. Walley (temporary), in premises at Seventeenth street, 50 feet from Carolina street.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 5 o'clock, adjourned to meet on Thursday, November 1, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Thursday, November 1, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly,

Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Quorum present.

His Honor Acting Mayor Gallagher presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journal of the meeting of October 25, 1906, was read and approved.

The reading of the Journal of the meeting of October 29, 1906, was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Petition—Of R. N. Carson, for the installation of a street lamp on the north side of Broadway between Van Ness avenue and Polk street.

To the Finance Committee.

Petition—Of Wm. Foley, to lease for the sum of \$60 per month a city lot, 50 by 60 feet, at the north end of Willard street, where said street intersects Frederick street.

To the Fire Committee.

Petition—Of S. Kurata, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 7 horsepower in premises No. 1776 Eddy street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

To the Joint Committee on Fire and Water.

Communication—From Geo. Noble Todd, in relation to pneumatic reservoirs for fire protection.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of R. P. Bliven, for permission to erect and maintain a stable for more than four horses on the northerly line of Seventeenth street, 117½ feet east of Valencia street.

Of Wm. Furber, for permission to maintain a stable for more than four horses on Boardman place between Bryant and Brannan streets.

Of H. Motroni, for permission to erect and maintain a stable for more four horses on the south side of Green street, 100 feet west of Dupont street.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Protest—Of F. W. Brown and other Merchants, against permitting use of Columbia Square for business purposes.

File.

A Communication from the Potrero Commercial and Manufacturers' Association, expressing its appreciation of the prompt action of the Board in pro-

viding relief from the annoyance caused by the defective condition of the Kansas street sewer, was received, read and ordered placed on file.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Board of Election Commissioners, requesting that an additional sum of \$5000 be set aside and appropriated to meet the increased expenses of the general election of 1906.

To the Joint Committee on Finance and Printing and Salaries.

From the Stationery Department, Board of Supervisors, with report for the month of September, 1906.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

From the Civil Service Commission, with requisition for one roller top office desk.

From the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, with requisition for shelves for safe in office.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending that an additional sum of \$5000 be set aside and appropriated for the paving and improvement of Sixteenth street between Valencia and Folsom streets.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$67,000 be provided for the repaving with asphalt of Sutter street from Van Ness avenue to Sansome street.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payments, Water Service.

Resolution No. 487 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$9500, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Spring Valley Water Company for water for hydrants and sprinkling for the months of July, August, September and October, as per contract and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies, Park.

Resolution No. 488 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$9,-

419.52, to be made out of the Park Fund in payment to:

J. L. Verneil, forage	\$1002.13
Pope & Talbot, lumber	613.48
J. L. Verneil, forage	1529.14
Pope & Talbot, lumber	876.35
Christian Froelich, material...	2173.45
C. E. Brady & Son, labor....	559.25
The McGilvray Stone Co., labor, etc.....	1820.70
Thos. Butler, labor, etc.....	845.02

\$9419.53

As per contract and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Authorizing Payment, Construction Approach to Third Street Bridge.

Resolution No. 489 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$10,956.93, to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company for constructing approaches to Third-street bridge, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Authorizing Payment, Brick, Board of Public Works.

Resolution No. 490 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$550, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to San Francisco Brick Company for brick furnished Board of Public Works, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Authorizing Payments, Lighting Service and Stationery Supplies.

Resolution No. 491 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$27,488.46, to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to the following firms:

San Francisco Gas and Electric Co., to gas and electricity, June	\$13,364.95
San Francisco Gas and Electric Co., to gas and electricity, May	12,277.70
Brown & Powers, stationery, etc.	735.25
Brown & Powers, stationery, etc.	560.56

\$27,488.46

As per contract and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Recommittal.

Engine and Boiler Permit.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting J. A. Gay permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of eight (8) horsepower in premises situate 826 O'Farrell street, the same to be used for laundry purposes, heretofore passed for printing, was taken up, and on motion of Supervisor Mamlock, ordered recommitted to the Fire Committee.

IN MATTER OF SUSPENSION OF WILLIAM H. LANGDON FROM OFFICE OF DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Return of Citation.

The Clerk reported that in conformity with the order of the Board, he had personally served William H. Langdon, at the office of the District Attorney, on Friday, October 26, 1906, with a copy of the charges made by his Honor the Mayor against said Langdon, in removing him from the office of District Attorney of the City and County, and that he had also served him with a notice to appear in person at this day's meeting of the Board of Supervisors in defense of said charges, with the right to appear with counsel in his behalf.

Motion to Continue Hearing.

Supervisor Phillips moved that the hearing of the matter be continued over one week.

Service of Writ of Prohibition and Restraining Order.

Thereupon Robert W. Harrison, Deputy District Attorney, served the Clerk in the presence of the members, with a writ of prohibition, restraining the Board from proceeding with hearing of charges against Wm. H. Langdon, and also served the Clerk with a copy of a preliminary injunction, restraining A. Ruef from exercising the functions of District Attorney.

Motion Carried.

No response being made to the interrogation of the Chair as to the presence of Mr. Langdon or his counsel, the question was taken on Supervisor Phillips' motion to postpone the hearing one week, and carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan,

Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—13.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$63,594.47, and entered in Register of Demands No. 2 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 2541 to 2710 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Phillips, Walsh, Wilson—13.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Lighting Service.

On motion of Supervisor Davis:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$14,968.67, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company for lighting public buildings and public streets, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Printing of Great Register.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4646.97, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the Phillips & Van Orden Company for printing, etc., of the Great Register of the year 1906, as per contract and bill rendered.

Requiring Private Water Supplies Equipped for Fire Protection.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock:

Bill No. 102, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance requiring all private water tanks and water supplies to be connected so as the Fire Department may use the same for protection from fire."

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Providing for Additional Expenses of Election Commission.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:

Resolution No. 492 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The Board of Election Commissioners has by communication or resolution informed this Board that the appropriation for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1906, for expenses of election is exhausted or so very nearly exhausted that the Board cannot proceed to conduct and hold a General Election provided for by law on November 6, 1906, and canvass the results thereof without incurring indebtedness in excess of such appropriation; and

Whereas, By Section 8½ of Article XI of the Constitution of the State of California, permitting Municipal Charters to create a Board of Election Commissioners, there is also imposed the duty upon such Municipal Corporation to pay all the expenses of elections; and

Whereas, Boards of Election Commissioners act under the direction of the Constitution and General Laws of the State, and are by it commanded to conduct elections in the manner and at the time required by the Constitution and Laws, and such election cannot be imperiled for lack of moneys with which to conduct the same; therefore be it

Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, that there be and is hereby appropriated and set aside to and for the use of the Department of Elections of said City and County, in addition to all former appropriations, the sum of \$5000.00 hereby appropriated and made payable out of the General Fund of said City and County.

Resolved, That this resolution shall take effect immediately.

Permit Amateur Boxing Exhibition.

On motion of Supervisor Walsh:

Resolution No. 493 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Hawthorne Athletic and Social Club (incorporated) be and it is hereby granted permission to conduct an amateur boxing exhibition

on Friday evening, November 9, 1906, at Dreamland Pavilion, on Post and Steiner streets, instead of holding same on November 2, 1906, as heretofore provided in the report of the Police Committee and adopted by this Board, pursuant to Ordinance No. 624.

Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. 494 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following named persons be and are hereby granted permission to erect and maintain stable buildings at the locations set opposite their respective names, to wit:

Messrs. Motroni and Guastucci, 379-685 Green street.

Messrs. Motroni and Bacigalupi, 515-517 Green street.

Joseph Schnitter, south side of Fourteenth street, between Guerrero and Dolores streets.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Relating to Absence of Supervisor Sanderson from City.

Supervisor Furey called attention to the unfounded charges made in the daily press, regarding the departure of Supervisor W. W. Sanderson from the city, and stated that the absence of the Supervisor was caused solely through the matter of settling up the affairs of his brother's estate in Los Angeles.

Relating to Charges for Horse and Buggy Hire.

Supervisor Nicholas stated that he was notified by certain stable owners that hereafter a charge of \$45 per month will be exacted for each horse and buggy rented by the city, and called the attention of the Finance Committee to the matter.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 4:20 o'clock, adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, November 5, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors noted present:

Supervisors Boston, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Quorum present.

His Honor Acting Mayor Gallagher presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journal of the meeting of October 29th, 1906, was read and approved. The reading of the Journal of November 1, 1906, was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Petition—Of Mrs. A. J. Redmond and others, for the installation of a light on Fremont street between Harrison and Bryant streets.

To the Education Committee.

Petition—Of Paul A. Frattessa and others, for the erection of the South End School at the corner of Bacon and Girard streets, provision for which was made in the Bond Issue for Public Improvements.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of C. B. Huyett, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 6 horsepower in premises No. 1706 Geary street, the same to be used for heating water in a Turkish Baths.

Of Landau Syphon Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 4 horsepower in premises situate at Nos. 1917-1919

Howard street, to be used in the process of distilling water.

Of J. B. Cabana, for permission to store and use crude petroleum for fuel in premises No. 1833 O'Farrell street.

Bond—Of Holbrook, Merrill and Stetson Company in the sum of \$5000, with the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company of Baltimore, Maryland, as surety thereon, filed in connection with the permit to explode blasts at No. 549 Mission street.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of the Pacific Teaming Company, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for more than four horses on the south side of Thirteenth street, 179 feet southerly from Howard street.

Of the R. B. & S. Special Delivery Company, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses on the east side of Decatur street, 111½ feet south of Bryant street.

Of Silva and Rose, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in the building on the corner of Seventeenth and Potrero avenue.

Of F. C. Steard, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses at the corner of Noe and Market streets.

Of Agnes Walker, M. D., for permission to conduct and maintain a sanatorium at premises No. 718 Broderick street.

To the Police Committee.

Petitions—Of Frank Knowles, of Colma, San Mateo County, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$46.00, fees paid Poundkeeper for release of cattle alleged to have been illegally impounded.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Protests—Of A. Fehrenbach and

other residents and property owners against the proposed closing of Ocean avenue.

Of P. C. O'Dowd and other property owners against the proposed closing of Ocean avenue.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Communication—From the Mission Promotion Association, endorsing the proposition for the sale of a street railway franchise for a cross-town line from the Western Addition to the Mission District.

From Carl M. Warner, Pastor of Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church, endorsing the proposition to invite bids for the sale of a street railway franchise, connecting Devisadero street with Potrero avenue.

Of the Rev. P. J. Cummins, Pastor of the Mission Dolores Church, advocating movement in favor of another cross-town street railway between the Mission and the Western Addition.

From the Eureka Valley Improvement Club, endorsing the proposition to offer for sale a street railway franchise for an additional line between the Mission and the Western Addition.

File.

The following Communications were received, read and ordered placed on file:

From S. V. Costello, Attorney for the Associated School Teachers, submitting argument against proposed reduction in the salaries of teachers.

Report of Marsden Manson to the Mayor and the Committee on Reconstruction, on the improvements now necessary to execute and an estimate of the cost of the same—Fire avenues and thoroughfares—Lowering Rincon Hill—Auxiliary fire system—Water front improvements.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS OF CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the ordering of the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on Sanchez street between Duboce avenue and Fourteenth street; on Bryant street between Twenty-

third and Twenty-fourth streets; on the southwesterly angular corner of the crossing of Bryant and Twenty-third streets; on Treat avenue between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets; on Highland avenue between Mission street and Holly Park avenue; on Valencia street between Twenty-third and Twenty-sixth streets, and on Sixteenth street between Sanchez and Market streets.

Also, recommending that the width of sidewalks on Sixth street between Market and Channel streets be reduced from 19 to 15 feet.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Lake street and Sixth avenue, paved with bituminous rock.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, **finally passed** by the following vote, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Granting F. A. Healy a Permit for Pipe Line.

Bill No. 97, Ordinance No. 90 (New Series), entitled, "Granting a permit to F. A. Healy, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to lay, maintain and use, for the transportation of steam and hot water, for steam heating purposes, a pipe line in and along certain streets, to be used exclusively by said F. A. Healy, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Full Acceptance Streets.

Bill No. 98, Ordinance No. 91 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the full acceptance of the roadway of Diamond street between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets, Castro street between Fifteenth and Henry streets, Jersey street between Sanchez and Noe streets, Twenty-sixth street between Guerrero and Dolores streets, including the intersection of Fair Oaks street, crossing of Castro and Fifteenth streets, crossing of Diamond and Nineteenth streets, paved with bituminous rock."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Fixing Width of Diamond Street Sidewalks.

Bill No. 99, Ordinance No. 92 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by amending Section 213 thereof," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Diamond street between Seventeenth street and Eighteenth street at fifteen (15) feet.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Establishing Grades on Gladys Street.

Bill No. 100, Ordinance No. 93 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades at certain points on Gladys street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Extensions of Time, Street Work.

Resolution No. 495 (New Series), Granting Flinn & Treacy an extension of fifteen days' time from and after October 26, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the work of repaving Pacific street between Montgomery avenue and the westerly line of Stockton street.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to procure basin heads to complete the work.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Resolution No. 496 (New Series), Granting the City Street Improvement Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after October 12, 1906, within which to complete the contract for repaving Larkin street between Hayes and McAllister streets, and an extension of ninety days' time from and after October 30, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the repaving of Valencia street between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets.

These extensions of time are granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to complete the work within the time originally fixed by the Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Granting Permit to Parkside Realty Company to Lay Temporary Tracks.

Bill No. 101, Ordinance No. 94 (New

Series), entitled, "Granting to the Parkside Realty Company of San Francisco permission for the laying down of railroad tracks and the running of cars thereon upon certain streets and portions of streets in the City and County of San Francisco for the purpose of excavating and filling in such streets or portions of streets or the adjoining land."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Regulating Street Car Traffic.

Bill No. 91, Ordinance No. 95 (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance regulating the equipment and operation of street passenger cars in the City and County of San Francisco, prohibiting passengers from riding on specified portions of said cars, prohibiting persons from climbing or jumping upon, into, from or off such cars while in motion, or from boarding and entering such cars for the purpose of selling newspapers or other articles thereon or therein; prescribing certain duties of police officers with regard thereto, and prescribing penalties for violations hereof."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—13.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

The presentation of Bills and Accounts was ordered deferred temporarily.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Water Service.

On motion of Supervisor Phillips:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3000, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the Spring Valley Water Company for water furnished for use of hydrants during the month of October, 1906, as per bill rendered.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Domestic Laundry Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 75 horsepower in premises situate on Cumberland street, near Nineteenth street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Julius Godeau permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 40 horsepower in premises situate at No. 2136 Lombard street, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Hulse, Bradford & Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of six (6) horsepower in premises situate at No. 768 Harrison street, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Miller & Sons Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of five horsepower in premises situate on Potrero avenue between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, the same to be used for heating water to wash bottles.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Pacific Coast Wool Depot permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 100 horsepower in premises situate at No. 561 Sixth street, the same to be used in process of scouring and pressing wool.

Oil Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting California Saw Works permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 2000 gallons in premises situate on block bounded by Brannan, Harriet and Geneva streets, the same to be used for storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers situate on said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Domestic Laundry Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 2000 gallons in premises situate on Cumberland street, near Nineteenth street, the same to be used for storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Hulse, Bradford Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 1500 gallons in premises situate at No. 786 Harri-

son street, the same to be used for storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Pacific Coast Wool Depot permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 3000 gallons in premises situate at No. 561 Sixth street, the same to be used for storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Wm. Eicher permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 200 gallons in premises situate at No. 421 Lyon street, the same to be used for storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Joseph Rogers permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 250 gallons in premises situate on the southwest corner of Twenty-sixth and Shotwell streets, the same to be used for storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Ordering Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor Furey:

Bill No. 103, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order the following work, to wit:

1. That plank sidewalks be constructed on the south side of Berry street between Fourth and Seventh streets.

2. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the westerly side of Clayton street between the southerly line of Parnassus avenue produced and a line 325 feet southerly therefrom.

Extension of Time, Street Work.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Pacific Coast Construction Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after November 13, 1906, within which to complete the construction of a sewer in

Sixth street between Howard and Brannan streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractors have been delayed in their work because of inability to secure materials.

Temporary Permit, United Railroads of San Francisco, Street Railroad on Sixteenth Street.

On motion of Supervisor Boxton:

Bill No. 104, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting to the United Railroads of San Francisco temporary permission for the laying down of railroad tracks and the running of cars thereon upon Sixteenth street between Kansas street and Seventh street, for the purpose of providing street car service for the new wholesale district."

Sale of Bonds.

Also, Bill No. 105, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the sale of certain Bonds of the City and County of San Francisco, fixing the date when bids will be received for the purchase of the same and directing the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to give notice thereof," the provisions of which provide for the sale of the following bonds on December 17, 1906, to wit:

For the sale of Sewer Bonds to the amount of one million eighty-seven thousand two hundred (\$1,087,200) dollars, comprising all of the bonds of the denominations of one hundred (\$100) dollars, five hundred (\$500) dollars and one thousand (\$1000) dollars of the fifth to the tenth series, both inclusive.

For the sale of Street Bonds to the amount of four hundred and eighty-six thousand (\$486,000) dollars, comprising all the bonds of one hundred (\$100) dollars, five hundred (\$500) dollars and one thousand (\$1000) dollars of the fifteenth to the twenty-sixth series, both inclusive.

Referred.

Amending "Building Law," by Requiring Openings for Meters in Buildings.

Supervisor Boxton introduced Bill No. 106, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 31 (New Series), entitled, 'Regulating the Construction, Erection, Alteration, Repair, Removal, Maintenance, Use and Height of Buildings; Establishing Fire Limits, and Repealing All Ordinances in Conflict With This Ordinance,' approved July 5, 1906, by adding thereto a new section, numbered 313A, relating to openings for

gas and electric meters," which was.

On his motion, referred to the Joint Committee on Fire and Artificial Lights.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Providing for Increasing Salaries of Stewards in Emergency Hospitals.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:

Resolution No. 497 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of one thousand four hundred and forty (\$1440.00) dollars be, and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Surplus Fund, for the purpose of increasing the salaries of nine stewards employed in the Emergency Hospitals of the City and County of San Francisco to the extent of twenty (\$20) dollars per month each, from November 1, 1906.

The attention of the Auditor and the Treasurer is hereby called to the provision of this resolution.

Providing for Sewer Construction.

Also, Resolution No. 498 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendations of the Board of Public Works the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside and appropriated out of the proceeds of the sale of bonds of the City and County of San Francisco for the purposes hereinafter specified, to wit:

Out of the Sewer Construction Account of the Public Building Fund:

1. For the construction of a sewer, with appurtenances, in Dore street, from a point 100 feet southwesterly from the southeasterly line of Bryant street to the center line of Brannan street.

The estimated cost of said work is sixteen hundred (\$1600.00) dollars.

2. The construction of a 21-inch ironstone pipe sewer, with appurtenances, in Eighth street, from the center line of Brannan street to a point 341 feet northwesterly therefrom.

The estimated cost of said work is two thousand (\$2000.00) dollars.

Providing for Increased Salaries of Cooks and Waiters, Health Department.

Also, Resolution No. 499 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of thirty-two hundred (\$3200.00) dollars be and is hereby set aside and appropriated out of the Surplus Fund for the pur-

pose of providing for the increase in the wages of the cooks and waiters employed under the Health Department to meet the union scale of wages.

Further resolved, That the attention of the Auditor and Treasurer be and is hereby called to the provisions of this resolution.

Providing Compensation for Wiremen, Department of Electricity.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock:

Resolution No. 500 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of two thousand (\$2000.00) dollars be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Surplus Fund for the purpose of meeting the salaries of the following employees of the Department of Electricity from November 1, 1906, to June 30, 1906, to wit:

Two inside wiremen, \$2000.00.

The attention of the Auditor and of the Treasurer is hereby called to the provisions of this resolution.

Providing for Increasing Salaries of Employees of Department of Electricity.

Also, Resolution No. 501 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of eight thousand one hundred and ninety (\$8190.00) dollars be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Surplus Fund for the purpose of meeting the increase in salaries of the following employees of the Department of Electricity from October 1, 1906, to June 30, 1907, to wit:

7 Signal dispatchers	\$1575.00
1 Foreman outside construction	225.00
3 Assistant foremen outside construction	607.50
17 Electrical workers, outside construction	3442.50
1 Foreman inside construction	225.00
1 Assistant foreman inside construction	315.00
8 Inside wiremen	1800.00

Total \$8190.00

The attention of the Auditor and of the Treasurer is hereby called to the provisions of this resolution.

Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. 502 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Pacific Teaming Company be and is hereby granted permission to erect and maintain a building upon a parcel of land situate on the

south side of Thirteenth street, 178 feet 11½ inches easterly from Howard street, wherein it is intended to stable more than four (4) horses provided said building is erected and maintained in accordance with the provisions of the ordinances in such cases made and provided.

Providing for Construction of Morgue Building.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas:

Resolution, No. 503 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The site for the Coroner's office and Morgue has been selected on Fell street, near Gough, and an optional lease obtained for a period of five years at a monthly stipend of \$54.00; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby directed to proceed at once in the erection of the same; that the executive lease for Morgue site on Fell street by the Mayor on behalf of the City and County of San Francisco be approved, ratified and confirmed.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$37,846.78, and entered in Register of Demands No. 2 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 2721 to 3469 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—13.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were introduced under suspension of the rules and adopted and numbered as follows, to wit:

Clerk to Notify Ocean Shore Railway Company to Complete Work on Potrero Avenue.

On motion of Supervisor Kelly:

Resolution No. 504 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, Numerous complaints and petitions (having been filed with the Clerk) calling attention of this Board to the deplorable condition of Potrero avenue, from Mariposa street to Twenty-fifth street, occasioned by the opening of this street by the Ocean Shore Railroad in the construction of their roadbed, and

Whereas, Said work on such roadbed has laid dormant for the last four months, leaving the east side of said Potrero avenue impassable and thereby injuring and imposing extra and unnecessary hardship upon the business men and residents of said street; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby directed to notify the officials of the Ocean Shore Railroad that further delay in the construction of said roadbed will not be tolerated and that this Board insists upon the immediate restoration of Potrero avenue to its normal condition.

Urning Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company to Complete Transformation of Road.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas: Resolution No. 505 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company is authorized by ordinance, duly passed and approved on September 14, 1906, to operate all of its several cable, steam and horse railway lines so far as grades will permit by electricity by means of the overhead trolley system, and

Whereas, It was expressly stipulated and provided in said ordinance that all construction work upon said lines, including the installation of the electrical equipment thereof, should be commenced within ten days after the final passage of the ordinance and continuously prosecuted with all possible expedition until its final completion within ninety days from its commencement, and

Whereas, It appears that certain extensive excavations along the line of said road have been allowed to remain open for unreasonable periods of time and the earth removed therefrom, obstructing the travel on said streets; and

Whereas, It is apparent that reasonable diligence is not being exercised in accomplishing the completion of said street railway as an electric line within the time prescribed by said ordinance; therefore be it

Resolved, That said Presidio and

Ferries Railroad Company be urgently requested to exert all possible means to expedite the construction of said street railway and equip the same with an overhead electric trolley system diligently and uninterruptedly, in order that the same may be completed within the time allowed by the ordinance authorizing its conversion from a cable road to an electric railway.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:50 o'clock, adjourned to meet on Thursday, November 8, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE,
Clerk.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Thursday, November 8, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Quorum present.

His Honor Acting Mayor Gallagher presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of Journals of previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Petitions—Of H. B. Grant and numerous others, for the installation of an arc light at the corner of Eighteenth and Kansas streets.

Of Searight, Waldeck & Company and others, for the installation of a street light on Post street between Hyde and Larkin streets.

Of W. Offermann and other property owners and residents, for the proper street lighting of the 31st Assembly District, and for adequate police protection therein.

Of the San Bruno Improvement Club, for the installation and maintenance of electric arc lights at various points in the University Mound District.

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petitions—Of Dohrmann Commercial Company, for the refunding to them of the sums of \$17.86, \$8.99 and \$1.56, duplicate payments of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1906.

To the Fire Committee.

Potest—Of the Mission Promotion Association, against granting permission to the Occidental Machine and Engineering Company to maintain a boiler in premises on Nineteenth street west of Guerrero street.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of Fairweather & Perrine, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for more than four horses in premises situate on the east side of Capp street, 100 feet north of Eighteenth street.

Of Emil Woener and numerous other property owners, to compel the Board of Health to cause the barns and stables in the locality bounded by Elgin Park, Duboce avenue, Pearl and Market streets to be placed in a sanitary condition.

— To the Public Utilities Committee. —

Petition—Of German General Benevolent Society and other property owners, to offer for sale a franchise for a street railroad connecting Pierce and Scott streets with Twentieth and Potrero avenue.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of constructing stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks on Clement street between Ninth and Tenth avenues, the expense thereof to be assessed upon private property.

Also, recommending that the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5000) be set aside and appropriated for the clearing out of the Channel-street sewer.

Also, recommending that the Eureka Construction Company be granted an extension of 30 days' time from and after October 28, 1906, within which to complete their contract for

the construction of a sewer in Seventh avenue between H and L streets.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$30,151.50, and entered in Register of Demands No. 2 (New Series) and numbered consecutively therein 3481 to 3580 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of the Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Loneragan, McGushin, Walsh, Wilson—11.

Supervisor Phillips was noted present:

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Reducing Width of Sixth Street Sidewalks.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 107, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered two hundred and thirty," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Sixth street between Market and Channel streets at fifteen (15) feet.

Relating to Temporary Occupancy of Streets for Building Purposes.

Also, Bill No. 108, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 2, of Ordinance No. 485, entitled, 'Providing Regulations for the temporary occupancy of a public street, or any portion thereof, by materials or appliances for any purpose, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to make rules and regulations relative thereto,' approved April 29, 1902," the provisions of which revise the existing scale of fees exacted for the temporary occupancy of streets for building purposes.

Extension of Time, Street Work.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting J. J. Dowling an exten-

sion of ninety days' time from and after September 20, 1906, within which to complete the sewer work in Fourteenth street between Valencia and Howard streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to procure material to complete the work within the time originally fixed by the Board of Public Works.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Barber Asphalt Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after November 3, 1906, within which to complete the contract for repaving Kearny street between California and Pacific streets.

This extension is recommended for the reason that the work has been impeded by debris on the streets.

Ninety days' time from and after November 9, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of curbs and pavements on Turk street between Mason and Hyde streets.

This extension of time is recommended for the reason that the contractor has been unable to procure material.

Ninety days' time from and after October 16, 1906, within which to complete the contract for street work on Van Ness avenue between Vallejo and Green streets.

Ninety days' time from and after November 9, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of curbs and pavements on Ellis street between Stockton and Larkin streets, and ninety days from and after November 9, 1906, within which to complete the construction of curbs and pavements on Mission street between Sixth and Ninth streets.

These extensions of time are granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to procure the necessary material.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting C. S. Harney an extension of ninety days' time from and after November 10, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the improvement of Fourth street between Howard street and Freelon street, by reconstruction of granite curbs, etc.

This extension of time is recommended for the reason that the street has been blocked by debris.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting John Spargo an extension of ninety days' time from and after October 24, 1906, within which to complete the street work on Tenth ave-

nue between Point Lobos avenue and A street.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to procure material.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was adopted:

Providing for Street and Sewer Work from Bond Issue.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. 506 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works (filed August 10 and 18, 1906), the following amounts be and the same are hereby set aside and appropriated out of the proceeds of the sale of bonds of the City and County of San Francisco for the purposes hereinafter specified, to wit:

Out of the street construction account of the Public Building Fund:

1. For the replacing of curbing on Turk street from Mason street to Hyde street, \$2500.

2. Construction of an underground conduit system in Mission street between the westerly line of Sixth street and the westerly line of Ninth street, including the connections to be made on the crossing of Sixth and Mission streets, \$5000.

Out of the sewer construction account of the Public Building Fund:

1. For the construction of a pile foundation for the proposed storm sewer in Seventh street between Market and Howard streets, for which sewer the contract has been let, as per Resolution of Award No. 8336, \$6000.

Consideration of Memorial of United Refugees.

The Memorial of the United Refugees, for permission to continue to remain and live in tents and temporary houses erected in the parks and public grounds of the City and County until October 1st, 1907, was taken up for consideration.

Motion.

Supervisor Coleman moved that Alva S. Udell, Chairman of the United Refugees be granted the privilege of the floor.

So ordered.

Privilege of Floor.

Whereupon, Alva S. Udell addressed the Board and charged that a private corporation, "The Relief and Red Cross Funds," had since the departure of the military forces from the city, usurped

the functions of the Municipal Government; that said corporation was collecting rents from occupants of structures on parks without warrant of law; that many of the temporary structures have been rented to immoral persons, and in conclusion asked that the question of housing, sheltering and protection of refugees be investigated by the Board of Supervisors.

Motion.

Supervisor Coleman moved that the matter be referred to the Committee of the Whole Board, meeting on Saturday, November 8, 1906, at 10:30 a. m.
So ordered.

Motion.

Supervisor Wilson moved that the officers of the Relief and Red Cross Corporation and the Park Commissioners be notified to appear at said meeting.

So ordered.

Temporary Permit for Street Railroad on Stanyan street, between Hayes and Fulton Streets.

Motion.

Supervisor Boxton moved that the United Railroads of San Francisco be granted a temporary permit to operate a street railroad on Stanyan street, between Hayes and Fulton streets, until such time as the question of the validity of the alleged existing franchise can be determined, or a new franchise advertised for sale.

So ordered.

Passed for Printing.

Thereupon, Supervisor Boxton introduced Bill No. 109, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled,

"Granting to the United Railroads of San Francisco temporary permission for the laying down of railroad tracks

and the running of cars thereon upon Stanyan street, between Hayes street and Fulton street, for the purpose of providing adequate street-car service in the Western Addition," which was,

On his motion, **passed for printing.**

Adopted.

Stable Permit.

Supervisor Lonergan introduced the following Resolution, which was, on his motion, **adopted**, and numbered Resolution No. 507 (New Series):

Resolved, That in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 79 of this Board, that R. P. Blivens be and is hereby granted permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate on the northerly side of Seventeenth street, 117½ feet easterly from Valencia.

In Matter of Suspension of Wm. H. Langdon from Office of District Attorney.

The matter of hearing of charges preferred by his Honor the Mayor, in suspending Wm. H. Langdon from the office of District Attorney of the City and County, was proceeded with.

Motion.

No appearance of Wm. H. Langdon in person or by attorney being noted, Supervisor Coffey moved that the investigation be continued over until Thursday, November 15, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon the Board at the hour of 5:15 o'clock adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE,
Clerk.

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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, November 12, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Loneragan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Quorum present.

His Honor Acting Mayor Gallagher presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journal of the meeting of November 1, 1906, was read and approved.

The reading of Journals of subsequent meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Petitions—Of W. P. Johnson and others, for the installation of a street light on the corner of Nineteenth and Kentucky streets.

Of Geo. Grunig and others, for the installation of an electric light at the corner of Twenty-fifth and Hampshire streets.

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petitions—Of Mrs. C. M. Ehu, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$64.34, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1905.

Of J. C. Fritthen, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$36.00, an

alleged erroneous assessment of personal property taxes for the year 1906.

Of F. Milani, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$7.53, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1906.

Of Mary A. Miller, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$5.39, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1906.

Of Mary Sullivan, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$10.07, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1906.

To the Finance Committee.

Communication—From Geo. F. Ellis, offering to lease City property 40 x 80 feet on the south side of Greenwich street near Sansome street.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of California Casket Company for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 50 horsepower in premises situate on Mission street between Fifth and Sixth streets, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Of Donlan Bros. Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 50 horsepower in premises situate on the east side of Dolores street, 258 feet north of Nineteenth street, the same to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Of Domestic Laundry, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 50 horsepower in premises situate on the westerly side of Howard street, 100 feet northerly from Seventeenth street.

Of California Casket Company, for permission to store and use crude petroleum as fuel under boilers in premises situate on Mission street between Fifth and Sixth streets.

Of Domestic Laundry, for permission to store and use crude oil as fuel under boilers in premises situate on the westerly side of Howard street, 100 feet northerly from Seventeenth street.

Of Bruce Cornwall, for permission to blast for grading purposes on the southwest corner of Second and Harrison streets.

Protests—Of Alfred Fuhrman and others, against the maintenance of a Japanese laundry at No. 567 Grove street and No. 474 Ivy avenue, on the ground that the same constitutes a public nuisance.

From Margaret McCormick and others, against granting permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler in planing mill on north side of Twelfth street, 85 feet west of Howard street.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of J. J. Flannery, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for more than four horses on the easterly side of Dolores street, near Fifteenth street.

Protests—Of F. McGee and others, against the maintenance of a stable at No. 277 Lexington avenue.

Of Mary E. Hettich and others, against the maintenance of a stable on the southwest corner of Eddy and Hyde streets.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Petitions—Of Mary B. Angus, to grant the application of the Parkside Transit Company, to offer street railway franchise for sale.

Of Carl G. Larsen and others, favoring the sale of a street railway franchise in the Sunset District, under application of the Parkside Transit Company.

Of Geo. H. Knight and others, to offer for sale a street railway franchise under the application of the Parkside Transit Company.

Of M. B. Lewis and others, to grant application of the Parkside Transit Company to offer street railway franchise for sale.

Of W. W. Montague and others, to grant application of the Parkside Transit Company to offer street railway franchise for sale.

Communications—From the 39th District Improvement Club, recommending that a franchise for a street railway be offered for sale under application of the Parkside Transit Company.

From the San Francisco Improve-

ment Club, advocating the offering for sale of a street railway franchise upon application of the Parkside Transit Company.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of performing the following street work, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property:

1. That stone curbs and asphaltic pavement be constructed on Eighth avenue, between I and J streets.

2. That 8 inch, 15 inch and 18 inch iron stone pipe sewers with appurtenances be constructed on the crossing of Vienna street and Russia avenue.

3. That a bituminous rock pavement be constructed on the crossing of Twenty-fourth and Diamond streets.

Also, that the sum of \$5800 be set aside for the construction of a reinforced concrete sewer with appurtenances in Ninth street, between Bryant and Brannan streets.

Also, recommending that grades be changed and established at certain points and elevations on Mission street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets.

Also, recommending that J. J. Dowling be granted an extension of ninety days' time from and after November 19, 1906, within which to complete his contract for the construction of a bituminous rock pavement on the crossing of Ninth avenue and J street, and also for an extension of 90 days' time from and after December 19, 1906, within which to complete his contract for the improvement of the crossing of Tenth avenue and J street.

Also, recommending that the Eureka Construction Company be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after October 29, 1906, within which to complete its contract for the construction of sewers in Onondaga avenue and San Jose avenue.

Also, recommending that C. S. Harney be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after December 28, 1906, within which to complete his contract for repaving Stevenson street, between Third and Fourth streets.

Also, recommending that Owen Mc-

Hugh be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after December 21, 1906, within which to complete his contract for grading, curbing and macadamizing Fulton street, between Twenty-fifth and Thirty-fifth avenues.

File.

A Communication from the City Attorney, submitting a copy of opinion rendered the Superintendent of Schools relative to the report of the Auditor on fees exacted from applicants for teachers' certificates, was received, read and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Committees, by their respective Chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered filed, to wit:

License and Orders Committee, by Supervisor Kelly.

Public Utilities Committee, by Supervisor Boxton.

Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee, by Supervisor Rea.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, **finally passed** by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payment, Lighting Service. Resolution No. 508 (New Series),

Authorizing an expenditure of \$14,968.67, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company for lighting public buildings and public streets, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Authorizing Payment, Printing of Great Register.

Resolution No. 509 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4646.97, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the Phillips & Van Orden Company for printing, etc., of the Great Register of the year 1906, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Requiring Private Water Supplies Equipped for Fire Protection.

Bill No. 102, Ordinance No. 96 (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance re-

quiring all private tanks and water supplies to be connected so as the Fire Department may use the same for protection from fire."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—16.

Adopted.

The following Resolution laid over from a prior meeting, was taken up and **adopted** by unanimous vote:

Extending Time When Ordinance Regulating Street Car Traffic Shall Be in Effect.

Resolution No. 510 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the United Railroads and other street railway companies operating cars in the City and County of San Francisco, be and they are hereby granted thirty (30) days time from and after this date to comply with Ordinance No. 95, requiring said companies to equip cars with enclosures to protect operators; provided, the company proceeds diligently to equip all cars as required in said ordinance.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$19,280.35, and entered in Register of Demands No. 2 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 3588 to 4634 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Report of Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—16.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Maintenance Minors.

On motion of Supervisor Walsh:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3602.26, to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to the following institu-

tions for maintenance and tuition of minors:

To Brother Xenophon, October, 1906	\$ 626.32
To Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, July, 1906	758.47
To Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, August, 1906	770.82
To Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, September, 1906	762.08
To Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, October, 1906	684.57
Total	\$3602.26
As per bills rendered.	

Authorizing Payments, Supplies, Fire and Commissary Departments.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3822.36, to be made out of the General Fund, in payment to the following firms for supplies furnished the Fire and Commissary Departments:

To Thomas Morton & Sons, fuel	\$ 570.00
To Scott & Magner, forage....	1501.48
To James A. Snook & Co., forage ..	1157.73
To Greenebaum, Weil & Michels, dry goods	593.15
Total	\$3822.36
As per contract and bills rendered.	

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock: Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting O. B. Huyett permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of six horsepower, in premises situate No. 1706 Geary street, the same to be used for heating water in Turkish baths.

Also Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting S. Kurata permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of seven horsepower, in premises situate No. 1776 Eddy street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Laudau Economic Syphon Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of four horsepower, in premises situate Nos. 1917-1919 Howard street, the same to be used in the process of distilling water.

Oil Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting J. B. Cabana per-

mission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 200 gallons, in premises situate at No. 1833 O'Farrell street, the same to be used for heating purposes.

Amending "Building Law," Relative to Openings for Gas and Electric Meters.

Also, Bill No. 106, Ordinance No. —, entitled "Amending Ordinance No. 31 (New Series), entitled 'Regulating the Construction, Erection, Alteration, Repair, Removal, Maintenance, Use and Height of Buildings; Regulating Character and Use of Materials in and for Buildings; Establishing Fire Limits, and Repealing All Ordinances in Conflict With This Ordinance,' approved July 5, 1906, by adding thereto a new section, numbered 313A, relating to openings for gas and electric meters."

Blasting Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Bruce Cornwall permission, during the pleasure of the Board, to explode blasts for grading purposes on the southwest corner of Second and Harrison streets.

Provided, that said Bruce Cornwall file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$5000, as fixed by the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Spur Track Privilege—John Breuner Company.

On motion of Supervisor Rea: Bill No. 110, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled: "Granting permission to John Breuner Company, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to construct and maintain a spur track on Harrison street, connecting its property on the northeasterly corner of Santa Clara and Harrison streets, with the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company, at a point on Harrison street about 50 feet, more or less, northerly from the northerly line of Santa Clara street."

Spur Track Privilege—Del Monte Milling Company.

Also, Bill No. 111, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled: "Granting permission to the Del Monte Milling Company, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to construct and maintain a spur track from the spur track of the Merchants' Ice and Cold Storage Company on Lombard street, between Montgomery and Sansome streets, to the property situate in 50-

vara lot on the northeast corner of Lombard and Montgomery streets."

Determining to Grant Street Railroad Franchise on Application of Parkside Transit Company.

(On motion of Supervisor Boxton:
Resolution No. — (New Series),
as follows:

Whereas, Application has been made to the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco by the Parkside Transit Company (a railway corporation) through petition filed October 22, 1906, for a franchise for a term of twenty-five (25) years, to construct, lay down and operate a single or double track street railroad, with all the necessary branches, sidetracks, turnouts, switches, crossings, curves, connections, spur tracks, yard tracks, depot tracks, terminal tracks and facilities, over and along the following described route, to wit:

Commencing in Ocean avenue opposite the southerly termination of Corbett avenue, thence through private property to Nineteenth avenue, thence across Nineteenth avenue at a point approximately nine hundred and ninety-six (996) feet southerly from the south line of W street, as laid down on the official map of the City and County of San Francisco, thence through private property in a general westerly direction to what would be the line of Market street, if extended; thence along Market street to its westerly terminus; thence through private property in a general northwesterly direction to the easterly line of the Great Highway.

Commencing on W street at the easterly line of the Great Highway; thence easterly along W street to Forty-sixth avenue; thence curving into Forty-sixth avenue; thence southerly along Forty-sixth avenue; there connecting with the track or tracks laid or to be laid by petitioner.

Commencing at the southerly line of Ocean avenue, where said southerly line of Ocean avenue is intersected by the westerly line of Corbett avenue; thence northerly across Ocean avenue, there connecting with the track or tracks laid or to be laid by petitioner, from the intersection of Ocean avenue and Corbett avenue.

Commencing at the intersection of the easterly line of Twelfth avenue and T street; thence westerly along T street to Thirty-third avenue; thence curving into Thirty-third avenue, and southerly along Thirty-third avenue to V street; thence curving into V street; thence

westerly on V street to Thirty-fifth avenue; thence curving into Thirty-fifth avenue; thence southerly along Thirty-fifth avenue to its southerly terminus; thence across private property, connecting with the track or tracks laid or to be laid by petitioner on private property.

Commencing on Nineteenth avenue at a point approximately nine hundred and ninety-six (996) feet southerly from the south line of W street, as laid down upon the official map of the City and County of San Francisco; thence northerly along Nineteenth avenue to and across H street.

And whereas, it appears to this Board that the public interest will be subserved by the grant of such franchise; therefore,

Resolved, That this Board grant said franchise as a whole, after due advertisement and offer for sale, in the manner and subject to the conditions and restrictions provided in the charter of the City and County of San Francisco, with particular reference to the following subdivisions and sections of Chapter II of said Charter, relating to the powers of the Board of Supervisors, to wit:

Subdivision 2 and Subdivision 27, as amended February 5, 1903, of Section 1 thereof, and Section 6 thereof.

Provided, further, that the grantee operating under said franchise shall be required to pave the space between the rails and for two feet each side thereof, and between the tracks if there be more than one, upon the streets whereon said tracks are to be laid, and to keep the same in good condition and repair under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works of the City and County; also

That such street railroads operating under different managements, as the Board of Supervisors may permit, or the City and County itself, in the operation of a municipal railroad, shall have the privilege of using said tracks for a distance not exceeding ten (10) consecutive blocks, for the purpose of securing equal terminal facilities, upon condition that the expense of construction and repair of the tracks and appurtenances used by said railways jointly, be equitably divided between the respective owners; also

That the grantee operating under this franchise must pay to the City and County as a license upon each car such sum as the Board of Supervisors may fix; provided, however, that such sum

shall not exceed fifty (\$50) per annum, nor be less than fifteen (\$15) dollars per annum; also

That as a condition precedent to the sale and granting of this franchise, the grantee thereunder shall permit and allow all firemen and policemen of the City and County of San Francisco at all times, and all mail carriers in the employ of the United States Government, while engaged in the actual discharge of duty, to ride on the cars of such company without paying any sum of money whatever for fare or otherwise; also

That the bidder for said franchise shall file with his bid a good and sufficient bond in the penal sum of Ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars, with sureties thereon satisfactory to the Mayor of the City and County, conditioned that the bidder shall well and truly observe and perform the conditions of the franchise for which application is made in the case the same is awarded to him, and that in case of breach of any of the conditions of such bond, the whole of the penal sum of Ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars shall be taken to be liquidated damages; also

That the successful bidder for this franchise shall pay all charges for advertising in the official newspaper of this resolution, of the notice of sale, and of the ordinance granting said franchise.

Further Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for sealed proposals, or bids, for the sale of this franchise, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter, and with the terms of this resolution as hereinbefore expressed, said bids to be filed with the Clerk not later than 12 m., Saturday, December 29, 1906, and Monday, December 31, 1906, at the hour of 3 p. m., is hereby fixed as the hour and date for the opening of said proposals, or bids, and for the awarding of said franchise.

The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any and all bids if they believe the public interest will be subserved thereby.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Determining to Grant Street Railroad Franchise on Sixteenth Street From Kansas to Seventh Streets.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, Application has been made to the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco by numerous merchants, whose places of business are located between Sixth, Seventh, Irwin and Yuma streets, through petition filed October 26, 1906, to advertise for sale a franchise to construct a double-track railway along Sixteenth street, from Sixteenth and Kansas streets, to Sixteenth and Seventh and South streets, the same to be operated by an overhead trolley system; and

Whereas, It appears that public interest and necessity will be subserved by the granting of said franchise; therefore,

Resolved, That this Board grant a franchise, after due advertisement and offer for sale, to construct a double-track street railroad with all necessary turnouts, switches, crossings, curves, connections, and terminal facilities, over and along the following route, to wit:

Commencing at the intersection of Kansas and Sixteenth streets, thence easterly along Sixteenth street, through and curving into South street; thence northeasterly along South street to Seventh street; said railroad to be operated by means of electricity with overhead trolley equipment and appliances, or by such other improved methods of propulsion as science may reveal or invention devise, and which may hereafter be sanctioned by the Board of Supervisors.

Such franchise shall be granted in the manner and subject to the conditions and restrictions provided in the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, with particular reference to the following subdivisions of Chapter II, Article II, of said Charter, relating to the powers of the Board of Supervisors, to wit:

Subdivision 2 and Subdivision 27, as amended February 5, 1903, of Section 1 thereof, and Section 6 thereof.

Provided further that the grantee operating under said franchise shall be required to pave the space between the rails and for two feet each side thereof, and between the tracks if there be more than one, upon the streets whereon said tracks are to be laid, and to keep the same in good condition and repair under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works of the City and County; also,

That such railroads operating under different managements, as the Board of Supervisors may permit, or the City

and County of San Francisco itself, in the operation of a municipal railroad, shall have the privilege of using said tracks, upon the condition that the expense of construction and repair of the tracks and appurtenances used by said railways jointly, be equitably divided between the respective owners.

That the grantee operating under this franchise must pay to the City and County as a license upon each car such sum as the Board of Supervisors may fix; provided, however, that such sum shall not exceed fifty (\$50) per annum, nor be less than fifteen (\$15) dollars per annum; also,

That as a condition precedent to the sale and granting of this franchise, the grantee thereunder shall permit and allow all firemen and policemen of the City and County of San Francisco at all times and all mail carriers in the employ of the United States Government, while engaged in the actual discharge of duty, to ride on the cars of such company without paying any sum of money whatever for fare or otherwise; also,

That the bidder for said franchise shall file with his bid a good and sufficient bond in the penal sum of Ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars, with sureties thereon satisfactory to the Mayor of the City and County, conditioned that the bidder shall well and truly observe and perform the conditions of the franchise for which application is made, in the case the same is awarded to him, and that in case of breach of any of the conditions of such bond, the whole of the penal sum of Ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars shall be taken to be liquidated damages; also,

That the successful bidder for this franchise shall pay all charges for advertising in the official newspaper of this resolution, of the notice of sale, and of the ordinance granting said franchise.

Further Resolved, That the Clerk of this board be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for sealed proposals, or bids, for the sale of this franchise, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter, and with the terms of this resolution, as hereinbefore expressed, said bids to be filed with the Clerk not later than 12 m., Saturday, December 29, 1906, and Monday, December 31, 1906, at the hour of 3 p. m., is hereby fixed as the hour and date for the opening of said proposals, or bids, and for the awarding of said franchise.

The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any and all bids if they believe the public interest will be subserved thereby.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. 511 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 79 of this board, that Silva & Rose be and hereby are granted permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate on the southeast corner of Seventeenth street and Potrero avenue.

Appointing Thos. K. McCarthy, Assistant Clerk, Board of Supervisors.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. 512 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, A vacancy exists in the clerical force of the clerks of the Board of Supervisors, through the resignation of W. R. Hagerty, Assistant Clerk of the Board of Supervisors;

Resolved, That Thomas K. McCarthy be and is hereby appointed Assistant Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, to fill the position heretofore held by W. R. Hagerty, the employment to commence from November 1, 1906, and the salary of said Assistant Clerk is hereby fixed at the sum of One hundred and twenty-five (\$125) per month;

Further Resolved, That the attention of the Auditor and Treasurer be and is hereby called to the provisions of this resolution.

Appointing Wm. Mooser, Architect for McKinley School.

On motion of Supervisor Bixton: Resolution No. 513 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The Board of Education recommends that provision be made at once for the erection of certain school buildings authorized under the bond issue for public improvements, among which appear that of the South End School, to be constructed on city property at Bacon and Girard streets, and,

Whereas, it is inexpedient to call for

competitive architectural plans, specifications, designs and suggestions, for the construction of the said South End School, as provided for in Ordinance No. 1767 of the Board of Supervisors, approved March 12, 1906, due to the urgent and pressing necessity for school facilities in that school district, and it appears that public interest will be best and most expeditiously served by the selection and appointment of an architect by the Board of Supervisors to prepare the necessary suggestions and designs for plans for the construction of said school, as authorized and permitted by Section 16 "A", of said Ordinance No. 1767, as amended August 28, 1906; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That William Mooser be and is hereby appointed consulting architect, under the provisions of said Ordinance No. 1767 of the Board of Supervisors, for the purpose of preparing all drawings and specifications, suggestions and plans for the construction of the South End School, on the land hereinafter described, at a compensation of three and one-half (3½) per centum of the cost of the construction of the said building, as provided by Section 14 of said ordinance.

The said constructing architect is hereby authorized and instructed to prepare in the general manner outlined in the said Ordinance No. 1767, plans and specifications, suggestions and designs of a twelve-room building, the total cost thereof, inclusive of fees allowed for the consulting and supervising architects, not to exceed \$81,000, and to submit the same, within thirty days, to the Board of Public Works and the Board of Education, in order to permit said Board of Public Works to recommend to the Supervisors the immediate construction of said South End School under the direction and supervision of the said Board of Public Works.

The description of said lot of land is as follows:

Commencing at the northwesterly corner of Bacon and Girard streets, thence westerly along the northerly line of Bacon street 240 feet; thence at right angles northerly 200 feet; thence at right angles easterly 240 feet to the westerly line of Girard street; thence southerly along the westerly line of Girard street 200 feet to the point of commencement. Being a portion of Block No. 12 of University Mound Survey Homestead.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

Supervisor Coleman introduced the following Resolution and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Prohibiting Sale of Liquors Between Hours of 2 a. m. and 6 a. m.

Resolved, That all saloons, cafes and restaurants, and other places where liquor is sold at retail, the proprietors of which pay the license of \$500 per year fixed by this Board of Supervisors, shall not keep open or sell liquors between the hours of 2 and 6 o'clock a. m. That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Police Commissioners.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Coleman, as Resolution No. 514 (New Series).

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:20 o'clock, adjourned to meet on Thursday, November 15, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Thursday, November 15, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Quorum present.

His Honor Acting Mayor Gallagher presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petition—Of Chas. H. Coggin, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$4.67,

an alleged erroneous payment of personal property tax for the year 1906.

To the Finance Committee.

Petitions—Of the Castro Hill Improvement Association, for the purchase of a lot of land in the district bounded by Hill, Castro, Twenty-third and Church streets, for the purpose of constructing a fire house thereon.

Of H. Brandenstein, with claim in the sum of \$220.00, being value of horse and harness taken by the Fire Department for the purpose of carrying dynamite during the fire of April 18, 1906, said animal being killed as a result of an explosion while so used.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of the American Casket Company, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of four horsepower in premises situate on the south side of Seventeenth street, 163 feet west of Guerrero street, the same to be used in generating steam for heating glue.

Of E. J. Boyce, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 100 horsepower at premises situate on the east side of Twelfth street, 85 feet northerly from Howard street, the same to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Of Emma M. Coombs, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of two horsepower in premises No. 1213 Post street, the same to be used for heating purposes.

Of Hammond & Brod. for permission to erect and maintain an engine and two boilers of 23 horsepower in premises situate on the northeast corner of Post and Polk streets, the same to be used in a sausage factory.

Of J. P. Lorden, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 150 horsepower in premises situate on the easterly line of Fifth street, 85 feet south of Berry street, the same to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Of Henry A. Schultze, for permission to blast for the purpose of removing ruins in premises situate on the southerly side of Bluxome street, 200 feet westerly from Fourth street.

Protest—Of Residents and Property Owners, in the vicinity of Cumberland and Nineteenth streets, against granting an engine and boiler permit to the Domestic Laundry.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of G. Scalminini, for permission to conduct and maintain a

stable for the accommodation of more than four horses, in premises situate on the southeast corner of Front and Clarke streets.

Of O'Brien & Sportono, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses on Grove street between Octavia and Laguna streets.

To the Police Committee.

Petition—Of the San Francisco Athletic Club, for permission to hold an amateur boxing exhibition at Walton's Hall, Friday evening, November 30, 1906.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Communication—From the San Francisco Real Estate Board, recommending that a franchise for a cross-town railroad line from the corner of Page and Scott streets to Twentieth and Potrero avenue be offered for sale.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Communication—From the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad Company, submitting plat of proposed spur track on Beach street.

File.

A Communication from the Ocean Shore Railroad Company, advising that the work of restoring the pavement of Potrero avenue to a uniform condition will be completed not later than November 20, 1906, was received, read and ordered placed on file.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From his Honor the Mayor, recommending the creation of various positions in the Department of Electricity.

File.

A Communication from the City Attorney, submitting copy of opinion rendered Police Commissioners, relative to pensioning members of the Police Department, was received, read and ordered placed on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, finally passed by the following vote, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payment, Water Service.

Resolution No. 515 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3000,

to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the Spring Valley Water Company for water furnished for use of hydrants during the month of October, 1906, as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 516 (New Series), Granting Julius Godeau permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 40 horsepower in premises situate at No. 2136 Lombard street, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 517 (New Series), Granting Hulse, Bradford & Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of six (6) horsepower in premises situate at No. 768 Harrison street, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 518 (New Series), Granting Miller & Sons Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of five horsepower in premises situate on Potrero avenue between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, the same to be used for heating water to wash bottles.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 519 (New Series), Granting Pacific Coast Wool Depot permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 100 horsepower in premises situate at No. 561 Sixth street, the same to be used in process of scouring and pressing wool.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 520 (New Series), Granting California Saw Works per-

mission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 2000 gallons in premises situate on block bounded by Braman, Harriet and Geneva streets, the same to be used as fuel under boilers situate on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 521 (New Series), Granting Hulse, Bradford Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 1500 gallons in premises situate at No. 786 Harrison street, the same to be used for storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 522 (New Series), Granting Pacific Coast Wool Depot permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 3000 gallons in premises situate at No. 561 Sixth street, the same to be used for storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 523 (New Series), Granting Wm. Eicher permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 200 gallons in premises situate at No. 421 Lyon street, the same to be used for storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 524 (New Series), Granting Joseph Rogers permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 250 gallons in premises situate on the southwest corner of Twenty-sixth and Shotwell streets, the same to be used for storing therein crude pe-

troleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 103, Ordinance No. 97 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order the following work, to wit:

1. That plank sidewalks be constructed on the south side of Berry street between Fourth and Seventh streets.

2. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the westerly side of Clayton street between the southerly line of Parnassus avenue produced and a line 325 feet southerly therefrom.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Extension of Time, Street Work.

Resolution No. 525 (New Series), Granting the Pacific Coast Construction Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after November 13, 1906, within which to complete the construction of a sewer in Sixth street between Howard and Brannan streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractors have been delayed in their work because of inability to secure materials.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Temporary Permit, United Railroads of San Francisco, Street Railroad on Sixteenth Street.

Bill No. 104, Ordinance No. 98 (New Series), entitled, "Granting to the United Railroads of San Francisco temporary permission for the laying down of railroad tracks and the running of cars thereon upon Sixteenth street between Kansas street and Seventh street, for the purpose of providing street car service for the new wholesale district."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Sale of Bonds.

Bill No. 105, Ordinance No. 99 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the sale of certain Bonds of the City and County of San Francisco, fixing the date when bids will be received for the purchase of the same and directing the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to give notice thereof," the provisions of which provide for the sale of the following bonds on December 17, 1906, to wit:

For the sale of Sewer Bonds to the amount of one million eighty-seven thousand two hundred (\$1,087,200) dollars, comprising all of the bonds of the denominations of one hundred (\$100) dollars, five hundred (\$500) dollars and one thousand (\$1000) dollars of the fifth to the tenth series, both inclusive, and numbered consecutively therein 2721 to 3469 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Reducing Width of Sixth Street Sidewalks.

Bill No. 107, Ordinance No. 100 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 1061, entitled, 'Regulating the width of sidewalks,' approved December 18, 1903, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered two hundred and thirty," the provisions of which fix the width of sidewalks on Sixth street between Market and Channel streets at fifteen (15) feet.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Extension of Time, Street Work.

Resolution No. 526 (New Series), Granting J. J. Dowling an extension of ninety days' time from and after September 20, 1906, within which to complete the sewer work in Fourteenth street between Valencia and Howard streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to procure material to complete the work within the time originally fixed by the Board of Public Works.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 527 (New Series), Granting the Barber Asphalt Company

an extension of ninety days' time from and after November 3, 1906, within which to complete the contract for repaving Kearny street between California and Pacific streets.

This extension is recommended for the reason that the work has been impeded by debris on the streets.

Ninety days' time from and after November 9, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of curbs and pavements on Turk street between Mason and Hyde streets.

This extension of time is recommended for the reason that the contractor has been unable to procure material.

Ninety days' time from and after October 16, 1906, within which to complete the contract for street work on Van Ness avenue between Vallejo and Green streets.

Ninety days' time from and after November 9, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of curbs and pavements on Ellis street between Stockton and Larkin streets, and ninety days from and after November 9, 1906, within which to complete the construction of curbs and pavements on Mission street between Sixth and Ninth streets.

These extensions of time are granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to procure the necessary material.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 528 (New Series), Granting C. S. Harney an extension of ninety days' time from and after November 10, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the improvement of Fourth street between Howard street and Freelon street, by reconstruction of granite curbs, etc.

This extension of time is recommended for the reason that the street has been blocked by debris.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 529 (New Series), Granting John Spargo an extension of ninety days' time from and after October 24, 1906, within which to complete the street work on Tenth avenue between Point Lobos avenue and A street.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to procure material.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Temporary Permit for Street Railroad on Stanyan Street, between Hayes and Fulton Streets.

Bill No. 109, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting to the United Railroads of San Francisco temporary permission for the laying down of railroad tracks and the running of cars thereon upon Stanyan street, between Hayes street and Fulton street, for the purpose of providing adequate street-car service in the Western Addition."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Recommittal.

Relating to Temporary Occupancy of Streets for Building Purposes.

Bill No. 108, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 2 of Ordinance No. 485, entitled, 'Providing regulations for the temporary occupancy of a public street, or any portion thereof, by materials or appliances for any purpose, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to make rules and regulations relative thereto,' approved April 29, 1902," the provisions of which revise the existing scale of fees exacted for the temporary occupancy of streets for building purposes, heretofore passed for printing, was taken up, and on motion re-committed to the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

The following matters, heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, and on motion re-committed to the Fire Committee, to wit:

Engine and Boiler Permit.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Domestic Laundry Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 75 horsepower in premises situate on Cumberland street, near Nineteenth street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Oil Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Domestic Laundry Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 2000 gallons in premises situate on Cumberland street, near Nineteenth street, the same to be

used for storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury Amounting to \$31,857.53, and entered in Register of Demands No. 2 (New Series) and numbered consecutively therein 4641 to 5015 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Lighting Service.

On motion of Supervisor Davis:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$29,143.81, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company for gas and electricity furnished for lighting certain public buildings and the public streets during the months of July and August, 1906, as per contract and bills rendered.

Providing for Appointment of Employees, Department of Electricity.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:

Bill No. 112, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the employment and fixing the compensation of certain employees of the Department of Electricity."

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. 530 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to the following named persons to conduct stables for the accommodation of more than four (4) horses at premises situate at the locations hereinafter specified, to wit:

G Scalmanini, southeast corner of Front and Clarke streets.

William Wilson, on the south side of Twelfth street, 50 feet east of Bernice street.

Fairweather & Perrine, east side of Capp street, 150 feet north of Eighteenth street.

R. B. & S. Special Delivery Co., east side of Decatur street, 111 feet 6 inches south of Bryant street.

O'Brien & Sportono, south side of Grove street, between Octavia and Laguna streets.

William Furber, Boardman place, between Bryant and Brannan streets.

Joseph Schnitter, Fourteenth street, between Guerrero and Dolores streets.

Providing for Increased Compensation of Plumbing Inspectors.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. 531 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of nine hundred and ninety (990) dollars be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Surplus Fund for the purpose of enabling the Department of Health to meet the increased wage schedule of its following employees, to wit:

1 Chief Plumbing Inspector, salary fixed at \$150 per month from October 1, 1906.

3 Assistant Plumbing Inspectors, salaries fixed at \$140 per month each, from October 1, 1906.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

In Matter of Suspension of Wm. H. Langdon from Office of District Attorney.

The matter of hearing of charges preferred by his Honor the Mayor, in suspending Wm. H. Langdon from the office of District Attorney of the City and County, was proceeded with.

Motion.

No appearance of Wm. H. Langdon in person or by attorney being noted, Supervisor Furey moved that the investigation be continued over until Monday, November 26, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, McGushin, Nicholas, Walsh, Wilson—12.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon the Board at the hour of 4 o'clock adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clrk.

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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, November 19, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Quorum present.

His Honor Acting Mayor Gallagher presiding.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Petition—From Virgil R. Tharp and others, for the installation of street lights at the following locations: Unadilla and Louisburg streets; Mt. Vernon avenue and San Miguel street; Howth street and Mt. Vernon avenue; Howth street and Geneva avenue; Tara street and Geneva avenue.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of F. E. Slutman, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 40 horsepower in premises situate on the westerly side of Bryant street, 50 feet north of Army street, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Of the Western Construction and Building Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 10 horsepower in premises situate on the westerly side of Presidio avenue between Geary and Post streets, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Of Ferro Bros., for permission to

store and use crude oil for fuel in premises situate No. 2813 Twenty-third street.

Of T. J. Moynihan, for permission to store and use crude petroleum as fuel in premises situate No. 401 Folsom street.

Of the Independent Baking Company, for permission to store and use crude petroleum as fuel in premises No. 4147 Nineteenth street.

Of G. Sarantelli, for permission to store and use crude petroleum as fuel in premises situate No. 3158 Twenty-second street.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of I. A. Cottingham, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for more than four horses on the north side of Harrison street between Fourth and Fifth streets.

Of J. L. Chain, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for more than four horses on the east side of Harriet street, 100 feet south of Howard street.

Of the Jersey Farm Dairy Company, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for more than four horses on Howard street between Fifth and Sixth streets.

Of Jas. McGinn, for permission to conduct and maintain undertaking and embalming establishment at premises No. 822 Fulton street.

To the Public Building Committee.

Communication—From Eliza Stern, calling attention to the fact that the roof of her building adjoining the old Harbor Police Station at the corner of Drumm and Commercial streets, has been injured by the tearing down of said station.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Petition—Of John J. Egan, for a franchise for a period of 25 years to

operate a street railroad over and along Geary street, from Market street to Point Lobos avenue; thence along Point Lobos avenue to Fifth avenue to Golden Gate Park; and also from Point Lobos avenue and Fifth avenue along Point Lobos avenue to Cliff avenue and along Cliff avenue to the Sutro Baths and Museum.

Communication—From the North Parkside Improvement Club, recommending that steps be taken to renew street car service on McAllister street from the McAllister-street car-house to Fourth avenue.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petitions—Of Baker & Hamilton, for permission to lay and maintain a spur track over and along De Haro street between Alameda street and the tracks of the Southern Pacific Railroad.

Of Virgil R. Tharp and other property owners, for the opening of Unadilla avenue from San Miguel street to San Jose avenue; Tara street from Unadilla avenue to Ocean avenue; of Howth street from Geneva avenue to Ocean avenue.

Communication—From Ira B. Clark submitting exposition of merits of "Clark's Automatic Street Car Fender".

File.

A Report of the North Central Improvement Club for the month of October, 1906, was received, read and ordered placed on file.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Board of Health, recommending that the salaries of Market Inspectors be increased from \$100.00 to \$125.00 per month.

Also, recommending that the salaries of Ambulance Drivers be increased from \$75 to \$90 per month.

To the Joint Committee on Hospital and Health and Finance.

From the Board of Health, transmitting resolution of the State Board of Health, recommending that all milkmen be required to serve their customers in individual containers, preferably of the waxed paper kind, in all cases where said customer uses less than one-half gallon per day.

Also, recommending that the salaries

of the surgeons in the Emergency Hospital Service be increased from \$100 to \$150 per month.

Also, recommending the employment of a stable inspector, at a salary of \$100 per month.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of performing the following street work, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part upon private property:

1. That an 8-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed in I street between Nineteenth and Twentieth avenues.

2. That an 8-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed on M street between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

3. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the southeasterly and northwesterly angular corners of Waller and Pierce streets.

Also, recommending that grades be established at certain points and elevations on Presidio street between Baker street and the easterly termination of Presidio street.

Also, recommending that grades be established at certain points and elevations on Twentieth avenue between K and S streets.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$6000.00 be set aside for the repaving of Shotwell street between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets.

Also, recommending that P. P. Quinn be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after November 20, 1906, within which to complete contract for the completion of the Laguna Honda School.

Also, recommending that C. S. Harney be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after November 30, 1906, within which to complete the contract for improvement of H street between Twentieth and Twenty-eighth avenues.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Relating to an Auxiliary Salt Water System for Fire Protection.

The Fire Committee, by Supervisor Mamlock, Acting Chairman, reported in favor of referring to the Finance Committee, a petition of the Merchants' Association of San Francisco, to submit to the electors a proposition to incur a bonded indebtedness, for the purpose of providing an auxiliary salt water system for fire protection.

Privilege of Floor.

Hartland Law was granted the privi-

lege of the floor and requested that immediate action be taken in the matter, stating that insurance rates are very high and protection from fire absolutely necessary.

Geo. E. Butler, representing the Board of Fire Underwriters, also addressed the Board, explaining the necessity of affording fire protection in the mercantile districts.

L. H. King, Secretary of Merchants' Association of San Francisco, was heard advocating submitting proposition to electors to incur bonded debt for auxiliary salt water system.

P. H. Shaughnessy, Chief Engineer of Fire Department, recommended the installation of a high pressure salt water system.

Motion.

Supervisor Wilson moved the reference of the matter to the Public Utilities Committee.

So ordered.

The Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee, by Supervisor Rea, presented a report on various matters referred, which report was received, read and ordered filed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payment, Maintenance Minors.

Resolution No. 532 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3602.26, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following institutions for maintenance and tuition of minors:

To Brother Xenophon, October, 1906	\$ 626.32
To Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, July, 1906	758.47
To Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, August, 1906	770.82
To Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, September, 1906	762.08
To Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, October, 1906	684.57

Total

As per bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.
Authorizing Payments, Supplies, Fire and Commissary Departments.

Resolution No. 533 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3822.36,

to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for supplies furnished the Fire and Commissary Departments:

To Thomas Morton & Sons, fuel	\$ 570.00
To Scott & Magner, forage....	1501.48
To James A. Snook & Co., forage	1157.73
To Greenebaum, Weil & Michels, dry goods	593.15

Total

As per contract and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Engins and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 534 (New Series), Granting O. B. Huyett permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of six horsepower in premises situate No. 1706 Geary street, the same to be used for heating water in Turkish baths.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 535 (New Series), Granting S. Kurata permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of seven horsepower in premises situate No. 1776 Eddy street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 536 (New Series), Granting Laudau Economic Syphon Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of four horsepower in premises situate Nos. 1917-1919 Howard street, the same to be used in the process of distilling water.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Oil Permit.

Resolution No. 537 (New Series), Granting J. B. Cabana permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 200 gallons in premises situate

at No. 1833 O'Farrell street, the same to be used for heating purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Amending "Building Law," Relative to Openings for Gas and Electric Meters.

Bill No. 106, Ordinance No. 102, entitled, "Amending Ordinance No. 31 (New Series), entitled, 'Regulating the construction, erection, alteration, repair, removal, maintenance, use and height of buildings; regulating character and use of materials in and for buildings; establishing fire limits, and repealing all ordinances in conflict with this ordinance,' approved July 5, 1906, by adding thereto a new section, numbered 313A, relating to openings for gas and electric meters."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Blasting Permit.

Resolution No. 538 (New Series). Granting Bruce Cornwall permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for grading purposes on the southwest corner of Second and Harrison streets.

Provided, that said Bruce Cornwall file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$5000, as fixed by the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Spur Track Privilege—John Breuner Company.

Bill No. 110, Ordinance No. 103 (New Series), entitled, "Granting permission to John Breuner Company, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to construct and maintain a spur track on Harrison street, connecting its property on the northeast corner of Santa Clara and Harrison street with the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company, at a point on Harrison street about 50 feet, more or less, northerly from the northerly line of Santa Clara street."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Spur Track Privilege—Del Monte Milling Company.

Bill No. 111, Ordinance No. 104 (New

Series), entitled, "Granting permission to the Del Monte Milling Company, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to construct and maintain a spur track from the spur track of the Merchants' Ice and Cold Storage Company on Lombard street, between Montgomery and Sansome streets, to the property situate in 50-vara lot on the northeast corner of Lombard and Montgomery streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Determining to Grant Street Railroad Franchise on Application of Parkside Transit Company.

Resolution No. 539 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, Application has been made to the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco by the Parkside Transit Company (a railway corporation) through petition filed October 22, 1906, for a franchise for a term of twenty-five (25) years, to construct, lay down and operate a single or double track street railroad, with all the necessary branches, sidetracks, turnouts, switches, crossings, curves, connections, spur tracks, yard tracks, depot tracks, terminal tracks and facilities, over and along the following described route, to wit:

Commencing in Ocean avenue opposite the southerly termination of Corbett avenue, thence through private property to Nineteenth avenue; thence across Nineteenth avenue at a point approximately nine hundred and ninety-six (996) feet southerly from the south line of W street, as laid down on the official map of the City and County of San Francisco; thence through private property in a general westerly direction to what would be the line of Market street, if extended; thence along Market street to its westerly terminus; thence through private property in a general northwesterly direction to the easterly line of the Great Highway.

Commencing on W street at the easterly line of the Great Highway, thence easterly along W street to Forty-sixth avenue; thence curving into Forty-sixth avenue; thence southerly along Forty-sixth avenue; there connecting with the track or tracks laid or to be laid by petitioner.

Commencing at the southerly line of Ocean avenue, where said southerly line of Ocean avenue is intersected by the westerly line of Corbett avenue;

thence northerly across Ocean avenue, there connecting with the track or tracks laid or to be laid by petitioner, from the intersection of Ocean avenue and Corbett avenue.

Commencing at the intersection of the easterly line of Twelfth avenue and T street, thence westerly along T street to Thirty-third avenue; thence curving into Thirty-third avenue, and southerly along Thirty-third avenue to V street; thence curving into V street; thence westerly on V street to Thirty-fifth avenue; thence curving into Thirty-fifth avenue; thence southerly along Thirty-fifth avenue to its southerly terminus; thence across private property, connecting with the track or tracks laid or to be laid by petitioner on private property.

Commencing on Nineteenth avenue at a point approximately nine hundred and ninety-six (996) feet southerly from the south line of W street, as laid down upon the official map of the City and County of San Francisco; thence northerly along Nineteenth avenue to and across H street.

And whereas, It appears to this Board that the public interest will be subserved by the grant of such franchise; therefore,

Resolved, That this Board grant said franchise as a whole, after due advertisement and offer for sale, in the manner and subject to the conditions and restrictions provided in the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, with particular reference to the following subdivisions and sections of Chapter II of said Charter, relating to the powers of the Board of Supervisors, to wit:

Subdivision 2 and Subdivision 27, as amended February 5, 1903, of Section 1 thereof, and Section 6 thereof.

Provided, further, that the grantee operating under said franchise shall be required to pave the space between the rails and for two feet each side thereof, and between the tracks if there be more than one, upon the streets whereon said tracks are to be laid, and to keep the same in good condition and repair under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works of the City and County; also

That such street railroads operating under different managements, as the Board of Supervisors may permit, or the City and County itself, in the operation of a municipal railroad, shall have the privilege of using said tracks for a distance not exceeding ten (10)

consecutive blocks, for the purpose of securing equal terminal facilities, upon condition that the expense of construction and repair of the tracks and appurtenances used by said railways jointly, be equitably divided between the respective owners; also

That the grantee operating under this franchise must pay to the City and County as a license upon each car such sum as the Board of Supervisors may fix; provided, however, that such sum shall not exceed fifty (\$50) dollars per annum, nor be less than fifteen (\$15) dollars per annum; also

That as a condition precedent to the sale and granting of this franchise, the grantee thereunder shall permit and allow all firemen and policemen of the City and County of San Francisco at all times, and all mail carriers in the employ of the United States Government, while engaged in the actual discharge of duty, to ride on the cars of such company without paying any sum of money whatever for fare or otherwise; also

That the bidder for said franchise shall file with his bid a good and sufficient bond in the penal sum of Ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars, with sureties thereon satisfactory to the Mayor of the City and County, conditioned that the bidder shall well and truly observe and perform the conditions of the franchise for which application is made in the case the same is awarded to him, and that in case of breach of any of the conditions of such bond, the whole of the penal sum of Ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars shall be taken to be liquidated damages; also

That the successful bidder for this franchise shall pay all charges for advertising in the official newspaper of this resolution, of the notice of sale, and of the ordinance granting said franchise.

Further Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for sealed proposals, or bids, for the sale of this franchise, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter, and with the terms of this resolution as hereinbefore expressed, said bids to be filed with the Clerk not later than 12 m., Saturday, December 29, 1906, and Monday, December 31, 1906, at the hour of 3 p. m., is hereby fixed as the hour and date for the opening of said proposals, or bids, and for the awarding of said franchise.

The Board of Supervisors reserves

the right to reject any and all bids if they believe the public interest will be subserved thereby.

Ayes—Supervisors Boston, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Determining to Grant Street Railroad Franchise on Sixteenth Street From Kansas to Seventh Streets.

Resolution No. 540 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, Application has been made to the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco by numerous merchants, whose places of business are located between Sixth, Seventh, Irwin and Yuma streets, through petition filed October 26, 1906, to advertise for sale a franchise to construct a double-track railway along Sixteenth street, from Sixteenth and Kansas streets, to Sixteenth and Seventh and South streets, the same to be operated by an overhead trolley system; and

Whereas, It appears that public interest and necessity will be subserved by the granting of said franchise; therefore,

Resolved, That this Board grant a franchise, after due advertisement and offer for sale, to construct a double-track street railroad with all necessary turnouts, switches, crossings, curves, connections, and terminal facilities, over and along the following route, to wit:

Commencing at the intersection of Kansas and Sixteenth streets, thence easterly along Sixteenth street, through and curving into South street; thence northeasterly along South street to Seventh street; said railroad to be operated by means of electricity with overhead trolley equipment and appliances, or by such other improved methods of propulsion as science may reveal or invention devise, and which may hereafter be sanctioned by the Board of Supervisors.

Such franchise shall be granted in the manner and subject to the conditions and restrictions provided in the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, with particular reference to the following subdivisions of Chapter II, Article II, of said Charter, relating to the powers of the Board of Supervisors, to wit:

Subdivision 2 and Subdivision 27, as amended February 5, 1903, of Section 1 thereof, and Section 6 thereof

Provided, further, That the grantee

operating under said franchise shall be required to pave the space between the rails and for two feet each side thereof, and between the tracks if there be more than one, upon the streets whereon said tracks are to be laid, and to keep the same in good condition and repair under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works of the City and County; also,

That such railroads operating under different managements, as the Board of Supervisors may permit, or the City and County of San Francisco itself, in the operation of a municipal railroad, shall have the privilege of using said tracks, upon the condition that the expense of construction and repair of the tracks and appurtenances used by said railways jointly, be equitably divided between the respective owners.

That the grantee operating under this franchise must pay to the City and County as a license upon each car such sum as the Board of Supervisors may fix; provided, however, that such sum shall not exceed fifty (\$50) dollars per annum, nor be less than fifteen (\$15) dollars per annum; also,

That as a condition precedent to the sale and granting of this franchise, the grantee thereunder shall permit and allow all firemen and policemen of the City and County of San Francisco at all times, and all mail carriers in the employ of the United States Government, while engaged in the actual discharge of duty, to ride on the cars of such company without paying any sum of money whatever for fare or otherwise; also,

That the bidder for said franchise shall file with his bid a good and sufficient bond in the penal sum of Ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars, with sureties thereon satisfactory to the Mayor of the City and County, conditioned that the bidder shall well and truly observe and perform the conditions of the franchise for which application is made, in the case the same is awarded to him, and that in case of breach of any of the conditions of such bond, the whole of the penal sum of Ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars shall be taken to be liquidated damages; also,

That the successful bidder for this franchise shall pay all charges for advertising in the official newspaper of this resolution, of the notice of sale, and of the ordinance granting said franchise.

Further Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby author-

ized, empowered and directed to advertise for sealed proposals, or bids, for the sale of this franchise, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter, and with the terms of this resolution, as hereinbefore expressed, said bids to be filed with the Clerk not later than 12 m., Saturday, December 29, 1906, and Monday, December 31, 1906, at the hour of 3 p. m., is hereby fixed as the hour and date for the opening of said proposals, or bids, and for the awarding of said franchise.

The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any and all bids if they believe the public interest will be subserved thereby.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$49,381.56, and entered in Register of Demands No. 2 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 5023 to 5613 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.
Supervisor Coffey was noted present.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were passed for printing:

Ordering Streets Closed Temporarily.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 113, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Closing certain streets and portions of streets in the City and County of San Francisco," the provisions of which order that all of the streets and portions of streets, save and except Nineteenth avenue, comprehended within a district bounded on the east by U street, on the west by Thirty-seventh avenue, and on the north by S street, as the same appear upon the official map of the City and County of San

Francisco, be closed and abandoned upon the conditions and for the time named in Resolution of Intention No. 432 (New Series).

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Ordering Street Work.

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Authorizing Payment, Maintenance of Minors.

On motion of Supervisor Walsh:

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On motion of Supervisor Rea:

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Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the California Casket Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 50 horsepower in premises situate on Mission street between Fifth and Sixth streets, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Domestic Laundry Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 50 horsepower in premises situate on westerly line of Howard street, 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Seventeenth street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

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Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Phoenix Rubber Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect an engine and boiler of ten horsepower in premises situate No. 119 Beale street, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Oil Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the California Casket Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 1500 gallons in premises situate on Mission street between Fifth and Sixth streets.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Domestic Laundry Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 2000 gallons in

premises situate on westerly line of Howard street, 100 feet northerly from Seventeenth street.

ADOPTED.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Fixing Time of Hearing Objections Against Closing Ocean Avenue.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. 541 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, Protests and objections of Ingleside residents and property owners to the closing of Ocean avenue between the Great Highway and Corbett avenue, as proposed by Resolution of Intention No. 431 (New Series) of the Board of Supervisors, approved October 10, 1906, were filed with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors on November 2, 1906; therefore,

Resolved, That Monday, the 17th day of December, 1906, at the hour of 3:30 o'clock in the Chambers of the Board of Supervisors, at Laguna and Grove streets, in the City and County of San Francisco, is hereby fixed as the time and place for the hearing of said protests and objections to the closing of Ocean avenue as aforesaid, and the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors is hereby directed to deposit a copy of this Resolution in the Postoffice of the City and County, postage prepaid, addressed to each protestant and objector, as a notice of said hearing.

Amateur Boxing Club Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Harrigan: Resolution No. 542 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the San Francisco Athletic Club be and is hereby granted permission to conduct an amateur boxing exhibition at Walton Hall, on Friday evening, November 30, 1906, subject to the provisions of Ordinance No. 624 of the Board of Supervisors.

Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan:

Resolution No. 543 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That J. J. Flannery be and is hereby granted permission to erect and maintain a building on the east side of Dolores street between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, wherein it is intended to stable more than four horses; provided said building is erected and maintained in accordance with existing ordinances.

Also, Resolution No. 544 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to the Jersey Farm Dairy Company to erect and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses at premises located on the south side of Howard street, 400 feet west of Fourth street, provided the same is erected and maintained in accordance with the provisions of the existing laws of the City and County.

Sanitorium Permit.

Also, Resolution No. 545 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Agnes Walker, M. D., to conduct and maintain a sanitorium at No. 718 Broderick street.

Relating to Crosstown Street Railroad Franchise.

Motion.

Supervisor Boxton moved that the Board meet as a Committee of the whole, on Friday, November 23, 1906, at 2 p. m., to consider petition to offer for sale a street railroad franchise for a cross-town road from Page and Scott streets to Twentieth street and Potrero avenue.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 4:30 o'clock adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, November 26, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present: Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Quorum present.

His Honor Acting Mayor Gallagher presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of the Meetings of November 5, November 8, and November 12, 1906, were read and approved.

The reading of the Journals of subsequent meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Petitions: Of Mooser and St. Germain, to install street lights on Post street, between Van Ness avenue and Polk street.

Of the Potrero Commercial and Manufacturers' Association for electric lights on Townsend street, between Seventh and Eighth streets.

Also, for electric lights on Eighth street, between Brannan and Townsend streets.

Of Garrett Welch and others, for the lighting of the southwest corner of Sixth and Brannan streets.

Of Thos. M. Miller and others, to install street lights on Union street, between Stockton and Hyde streets.

Of Ernestine Schneider and others, to install lights on Lynch street, between Hyde and Leavenworth streets.

Of Paul De Martini and others, to install a gas lamp on Pacific street, between Taylor and Jones streets.

Of M. J. O'Connor and others, for the installation of a street light on the corner of Jules and Montford streets.

To the Education Committee.

Petition: Of James Ewing and numerous others, to proceed as soon as possible with the erection of a school building on Greenwich street, between Fillmore and Webster streets.

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petitions: Of John E. Buckley, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$4.50, an alleged erroneous payment of personal property taxes for the fiscal year 1906.

Of J. J. De Haven, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$17.98, an alleged erroneous payment of personal property taxes for the fiscal year 1906.

Of Mary Dugan, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$13.49, duplicate payment of taxes on the R. E. Roll of 1906.

Of Elizabeth Largar, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$18.99, an alleged erroneous payment of personal property taxes for the fiscal year 1906.

Of Mrs. T. Lynch, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$13.04, duplicate payment of taxes on the R. E. Roll of 1906.

Of John Wisnom, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$40.15, duplicate payment of taxes on the R. E. Roll of 1906.

Of R. Schaezlein, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$2.19, an alleged erroneous payment of personal property taxes for the year 1906.

To the Finance Committee.

Petition: Of Mrs. Ida Pless, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$17.00, proportionate amount of rental subsequent to April 18, 1906, paid in advance for premises situate on Library site.

Communications: From L. Schmidt, with notice that rental of premises No.

1805 Devisadero street, now occupied by a Police Court, will be increased to the sum of \$250.00, from and after December 7th, 1906.

From the Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress, transmitting official call inviting appointment of delegate from San Francisco.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions: Of Hulme and Hart, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 200 horse power in premises situate on Nineteenth and Tennessee streets, the same to be used in furnishing power for a wool scouring plant.

Of Blanco's Cafe, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 15 horse power in premises situate on the south side of O'Farrell street, 137½ feet east of Polk street, the same to be used for heating purposes, and also for permission to store and use crude oil in said premises.

Of H. and H. E. Law, for permission to store and use crude petroleum in premises situate on Virginia Court between Pine and Stockton streets.

Of Dunn and Nason, for permission to store and use crude oil in premises situate on Willow avenue, between Van Ness avenue and Franklin street.

Of Hulse, Bradford Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 6 horse power in premises situate on the north side of Harrison street, 197½ feet east of Fourth street, the same to be used in the process of curing feathers.

Of the California Fruit Cannery Association, for permission to blast certain walls of concrete formerly used as a foundation for a building on the property surrounded by North Point, Beach, Hyde and Larkin streets.

Protest: Of the Mission Promotion Association, against granting permission to the Dolan Company to install an engine and boiler for planing mill purposes on the east side of Dolores street, 258 feet north of Nineteenth street.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions: Of the La Grande Laundry Company, for permission to withdraw proposal made on or about July 5th, 1906, to furnish laundry service to the Emergency Hospitals.

Of Frank Power, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for more than four horses on Twenty-

sixth street, 158 feet from Church street.

Of Wm. H. Torpey, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for more than four horses in premises Nos. 806-808 Buchanan street.

Of F. A. Littlefield, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for more than four horses on the southeast line of Shipley street 255 feet southwesterly from Fifth street.

Of C. Olsen, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for more than four horses on Oak Grove avenue, between Fifth and Sixth streets.

Of A. B. Allen, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate No. 272 Harriet street.

Of San Francisco Paving Company, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate on Ilene avenue, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, Dolores and Church streets.

To the License and Orders Committee.

Petition: Of Thos. Burns, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$125, unused liquor license, paid Tax Collector for the quarter ending September 30th, 1906, for saloon situate southeast corner Twenty-fourth and Folsom streets.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Petition: Of J. J. Egan, for a street railway franchise for a period of 25 years upon, under and along various streets in the City and County of San Francisco.

Communication: From the Outdoor Art League of the California Club, favoring the submission to the electors of the question of providing bonds for an auxiliary salt water system for fire protection.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petition: Of P. S. Pidwell and other property owners, to expedite the work of constructing artificial stone sidewalks on Willard avenue, between Mission street and Holly Park avenue.

Protest: From the Sunset District Improvement Club, against accepting street work on Eighth avenue between H and I streets on the ground that the same has not been performed in accordance with standard specifications.

Resolution: Of the Chamber of

Commerce, favoring system of interchange of freight car switching over various steam railroad lines in the City and County.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Electricity Committee

From the Department of Electricity, submitting estimate of cost in the sum of \$43,423.20, for the work of restoration of the Fire and Police Signal System.

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

From the Auditor and from the Tax Collector (jointly), recommending that the County Recorder be directed to cancel certificate of sale No. 1398 of August 6th, 1906, covering property sold in error to the State for supposed non-payment of taxes and assessed to H. T. Scott and Chas. C. Green, guardians, in Vol. 40, Page 98, Block 675, Subdivision 8, of the year 1905.

Also, recommending that the County Recorder be directed to cancel certificate of Sale No. 1233, August 6th, 1906, covering property sold the State for the supposed non-payment of taxes and assessed to Elizabeth Vorath in Vol. 30, Page 92, Block 186, Sub. 9, on R. E. Roll of 1905.

To the Finance Committee.

From the Board of Fire Commissioners, recommending that four inches of land be purchased from owners of premises adjoining Engine House No. 5, on Stockton street near Broadway, in order to permit the retention of said engine house on the site.

Also, recommending the payment of the claim of C. Oswald in the sum of \$464.29 for meat furnished members of the Fire Department from April 21st, 1906, to April 30th, 1906.

To the Fire Committee.

From the Fire Department submitting copy of the report of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, relative to the action of the Spring Valley Water Company in shutting off water from fire hydrants and rendering same useless in case of fire.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, with requisition for certain office furniture required for the City Engineer's office.

From the Assessor, with requisition for heating apparatus for his office.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

From the Chief Surgeon of the Emergency Hospital, stating that he has been notified by the La Grande Laundry that the cost of laundry work for the five hospitals under his control will be increased from \$97.50 to \$150.00 per month.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payment, Lighting Service.

Resolution No. 546 (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$29,143.81, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company for gas and electricity furnished for lighting certain public buildings and the public streets during the months of July and August, 1906, as per contract and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Providing for Appointment of Employees, Department of Electricity.

Bill No. 112, Ordinance No. 105 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the employment and fixing the compensation of certain employees of the Department of Electricity."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—13.

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Resolution No. 545 (New Series). Granting Hammond & Brod permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain two boilers of 23 horsepower each in premises situate on northwest corner of Post and Polk streets, the same to be used in a sausage factory.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Resolution No. 555 (New Series). Granting Phoenix Rubber Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect an engine and boiler of ten horsepower in premises situate No. 119 Beale street, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 554 (New Series). Granting the California Casket Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 1500 gallons in premises situate on Mission street between Fifth and Sixth streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Resolution No. 557 (New Series). Granting the Domestic Laundry Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 2000 gallons in premises situate on westerly line of Howard street, 100 feet northerly from Seventeenth street.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Indefinite Postponement.

The following Resolutions, laid over from a prior meeting, were taken up, and, on motion, **indefinitely postponed**, to wit:

Engine and Boiler Permit.

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Domestic Laundry Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 75 horsepower in premises situate on Cumberland street, near Nineteenth street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Oil Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Domestic Laundry Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 2000 gallons in premises situate on Cumberland street, near Nineteenth street, the same to be used for storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$65,562.98, and entered in Register of Demands No. 2 (New Series) and numbered consecutively therein 5617 to 6114 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—13.

NEW BUSINESS**Passed for Printing.**

The following matters were passed for printing:

Authorizing Payment, Election Supplies.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$7190, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for voting machines and election supplies, furnished Election Commissioners, as follows:

To U. S. Standard Voting Machine Co.	\$3680.00
To Brown & Power, sample ballots, etc.	2995.00
To H. C. Terry, supplies, etc..	515.00

Total\$7190.00

As per contract and bills rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Water Service, Parks.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$955.65, to be made out of the Park Fund in payment to the Spring Valley Water Company for water furnished the public parks during the month of October, 1906, as per contract and bills rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies and Water Service.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2327, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for water furnished the Board of Public Works and wardrobes furnished the San Francisco Fire Department, as follows:

To Spring Valley Water Co., water, October, 1906	\$ 500.00
To R. J. McGrayn, wardrobes..	1827.00

Total\$2327.00

As per contract and bills rendered.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting J. P. Lorden permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect an engine and boiler of 150 horsepower in premises situate east line of Fifth street, 80 feet south of Perry street, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Emma M. Coombs permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect a steam boiler of two horsepower in premises situate No. 1213 Post street, the same to be used for heating purposes.

Oil Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Ferro Bros. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank for fuel oil having a capacity not exceeding 400 gallons, in premises situate No. 2813 Twenty-third street.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Independent Baking Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank for fuel oil having a capacity not exceeding 350 gallons, in premises situate No. 4147 Nineteenth street.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting T. J. Moynihan permission, during the pleasure of the

Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank for fuel oil, having a capacity not exceeding 2500 gallons, in premises situate No. 401 Olson street.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting G. Sarantelis permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank for fuel oil having a capacity not exceeding 350 gallons, in premises situate No. 3158 Twenty-second street.

Establishing Grades on Twentieth Avenue.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 118, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Twentieth avenue between K and S streets."

Extensions of Time, Street Work.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Eureka Construction Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after October 28, 1906, within which to complete contract for the construction of sewers in Onondaga and San Jose avenues.

This extension of time is recommended for the reason that the contractor has been unable to secure necessary material to complete the work.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting J. J. Dowling & Co. an extension of ninety days' time from and after November 19, 1906, within which to complete their contract for the improvement of the crossing of Ninth avenue and J street by the construction of curbs and bituminous rock pavement thereon; and, also granting said J. J. Dowling & Co. an extension of ninety days' time from and after November 19, 1906, on their contract for the improvement of the crossing of Tenth avenue and J street.

These extensions of time are recommended by the Board of Public Works in communication filed November 9, 1906, for the reason that the contractors have been unable to procure the necessary material.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Owen McHugh an extension of ninety days' time from and after December 31, 1906, within which to complete the contract for grading, curbing and macadamizing Fulton street between Twenty-fifth avenue and Thirty-ninth avenue.

This extension of time is recommended by the Board of Public Works in communication filed November 9, 1906, by reason of the construction of

railroad tracks on said street, thereby delaying said contractor.

Extension of Time, Construction Laguna Honda School.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting P. P. Quinn an extension of ninety days' time from and after November 29, 1906, within which to complete contract for construction of Laguna Honda School.

This extension of time is recommended by the Board of Public Works in communication filed November 17, 1906, for the reason that the contractor has been unable to secure necessary material.

Extension of Time, Street Work.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting C. S. Harney an extension of ninety days' time from and after December 28, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the reconstruction of curbs and pavement on Stevenson street between Third and Fourth streets. This extension of time is recommended by the Board of Public Works in communication filed November 9, 1906, for the reason that the contractor has been unable to complete his contracts on account of debris, etc., on the roadway; and also granting said C. S. Harney an extension of ninety days' time from and after November 30, 1906, within which to complete his contract for the grading, curbing, macadamizing, etc., the roadway and sidewalks of H street between Twentieth and Twenty-eighth avenues. This extension of time is recommended by the Board of Public Works in communication filed November 17, 1906, for the reason that extra filling is necessary.

Permits to Blast.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Chadwick & Sykes permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for quarrying purposes in the Parkside District, between W and V streets, Sixteenth and Nineteenth avenues, Eleventh and Thirteenth avenues and Q and S streets, and J and K streets, Eighteenth and Nineteenth avenues; provided that said Chadwick & Sykes shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5000), as fixed by the Board of Public Works in accordance with Ordinance 1204.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Timothy Hopkins permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, and limited to a

period of sixty days, to explode blasts for grading and building purposes on lot situate on the north line of Townsend street, through to Bluxome street, between Fourth and Fifth streets; provided said Timothy Hopkins shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5000), as fixed by the Board of Public Works in accordance with Ordinance 1204.

Adopted

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Providing for an Additional Food Inspector.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. 558 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of eight hundred dollars (\$800.00) be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Surplus Fund to permit the employment by the Board of Health of an additional Food Inspector from November 1, 1906.

The attention of the Auditor and of the Treasurer is hereby called to the provisions of this Resolution.

Providing for Increased Salaries, Health Department Employees.

Also, Resolution No. 559 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following sums be and the same are hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Board of Health to meet the increased salaries of the following employes of said Board from November 1, 1906, to wit:

One chief surgeon, Emergency Hospitals	\$ 200.00
Ten surgeons, Emergency Hospitals	2000.00
One chief steward, Emergency Hospitals	120.00
Eight ambulance drivers, Emergency Hospitals	960.00
One ambulance driver, City and County Hospital	240.00
One Ambulance driver, Almshouse	320.00

Total\$3840.00

The attention of the Auditor and of the Treasurer is hereby called to the provisions of this Resolution.

Providing for Increased Salaries, Coroner's Department Employees.

Also, Resolution No. 560 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of six hun-

dred dollars be and the same is hereby set aside and appropriated and authorized to be expended out of the Surplus Fund for the purpose of meeting the increase in salaries of the messenger and morgue tender, in the Coroner's Department, from November 1, 1906.

The attention of the Auditor and the Treasurer is hereby called to the provisions of this Resolution.

Providing for Cleaning of Channel Street Sewer.

Also, Resolution No. 561 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5000) be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Board of Public Works for the purpose of cleaning out the Channel street sewer.

The attention of the Auditor and of the Treasurer is hereby called to the provisions of this Resolution.

Providing for Reconstruction of Sewer at Seventh and Mission Streets.

Also, Resolution No. 562 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of one thousand two hundred and fifty dollars (\$1250) be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and authorized to be expended by the Board of Public Works out of the "Sewer Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, for the purpose of reconstructing the main sewer in Mission street at the intersection of Seventh street and immediately adjacent to the easterly and westerly lines of Seventh street at said intersection.

The attention of the Auditor and of the Treasurer is hereby called to the provisions of this Resolution.

Authorizing Auction Sale of Basalt Blocks.

Also, Resolution No. 563 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby authorized to sell at public auction, after advertising notice thereof for a period of five (5) days in the official newspaper as required by the Charter, two hundred thousand, more or less, unused and unnecessary basalt blocks, stored in the corporation yard of said Board, or in the vicinity thereof.

Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Limerigan: Resolution No. 564, as follows:

Resolved, That J. A. Cottingham be and is hereby granted permission to conduct and maintain a stable for more

than four horses in premises situate on the northerly side of Harrison street between Fourth and Fifth streets.

Appointing Architects for School Buildings Under Bond Issue .

On motion of Supervisor Furey :

Resolution No. 565 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, it is inexpedient to call for competitive architectural plans, specifications, designs and suggestions for the construction of the school buildings specified in the bond issue, as provided for in Ordinance No. 1767, of the Board of Supervisors, approved March 12, 1906, due to the immediate and pressing necessity for school facilities throughout the City and County, and it appears that public interest will be best and most expeditiously served by the selection and appointment of architects by the Board of Supervisors to prepare the necessary suggestions and designs for plans for the construction of said schools, as authorized and permitted by Section 16 "A," of said Ordinance No. 1767, as amended August 28, 1906; nor, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed consulting architects, under the provisions of said Ordinance No. 1767, of the Board of Supervisors, for the purpose of preparing all drawings and specifications, suggestions and plans for the construction of the schools, hereinafter specified, each at a compensation of three and one-half (3½) per centum of the cost of construction of the building mentioned, as provided by Section 14 of said Ordinance, to wit:

Schools to Be Erected on City Property.

McKinley School—Fourteenth and Castro streets, 12 rooms or more at cost of \$81,000; George E. McCrea, architect.

Bay View School—Block "C," Silver Terrace, 18 rooms or more at cost of \$119,000; Stone & Smith, architects.

New School—Grattan and Shrader streets, 16 rooms or more, at cost of \$108,000; A. M. Edelman, architect.

Madison School—Clay and Walnut streets, 8 rooms or more at cost of \$54,000; M. J. Lyon, architect.

Park School—Sixth avenue and B street, 12 rooms or more at cost of \$81,000; A. F. Heide, architect.

Sutro School—Eighteenth and Point Lobos avenue, 18 rooms or more at cost of \$119,000; F. D. Voorhees, architect.

Golden Gate School—Golden Gate avenue and Pierce street, 12 rooms or more at cost of \$81,000; Salfield & Kohlberg, architects.

New School—York, near Twenty-third street, 12 rooms or more at cost of \$81,000; Banks & Copeland, architects.

Winfield Scott School—Lombard and Baker streets, 8 rooms or more at cost of \$39,000; Oscar Haupt, architect.

New School—Lippard and Berkshire streets, 10 rooms or more at cost of \$45,000; Havens & Toepke, architects.

West End School—Porter and Worden streets, 8 rooms or more at cost of \$54,000; A. M. Edelman, architect.

Oceanside School—Forty-second avenue and "I" street, 8 rooms or more at cost of \$39,000; O'Brien & Werner, architects.

New school—Connecticut and Army streets, 8 rooms or more, at cost of \$54,000; O'Brien & Werner, architects.

Polytechnic School—Frederick street and First avenue, \$375,000; D. D. Kearns, architect.

Sunnyside School—Hearst avenue and Foerster street, 8 rooms or more at cost of \$54,000; Stone & Smith, architects.

Bergerot School—Twenty-fourth avenue and California street, 8 rooms or more, at cost of \$39,000; Emile Lemme, architect.

South End School—Bacon and Girard streets, 12 rooms or more at cost of \$81,000; William Mooser, architect.

Schools, the Lots or Additional Lots for Which, Are Yet to Be Acquired.

Sheridan School—Plymouth and Minerva streets, 12 rooms or more at cost of \$56,000; F. D. Voorhees, architect.

Marshall School—Capp and Seventeenth streets, 16 rooms or more at cost of \$108,000; M. J. Lyon, architect.

Spring Valley School—Washington and Hyde streets, 18 rooms or more at cost of \$119,000; William Curlett, architect.

Jean Parker School—Broadway and Powell streets, 18 rooms or more at cost of \$119,000; Stone & Smith, architects.

Garfield School—Union and Montgomery streets, 16 rooms or more at cost of \$108,000; D. D. Kearns, architect.

Panhandle School—Cole and Grove streets, 12 rooms or more at cost of \$81,000; Salfield & Kohlberg, architects.

The said consulting architects are hereby authorized and instructed to

prepare in the general manner outlined in the said Ordinance No. 1767, plans and specifications, suggestions and designs of the aforesaid buildings, the total cost of each thereof, inclusive of fees allowed for the consulting and supervising architects, not to exceed the amount specified with their respective names, and to submit the same, within thirty days, to the Board of Public Works and the Board of Education, in order to permit said Board of Public Works to recommend to the Supervisors the immediate construction of said schools, under the direction and supervision of the said Board of Public Works.

Permitting Erection of Refugee Cottages on Francisco Street

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. 566 (New Series) as follows:

Resolved, That the land and building Department of the Red Cross and Relief Committee be and is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect cottages for housing refugees on the unimproved portion of Francisco street, between Laguna street and Van Ness avenue.

(Petition filed November 20, 1906.)

Relating to Use of City Property by Refugees.

Motion.

Supervisor Boxton moved that the Streets, Sewers and Parks, Fire and Hospital and Health Committees consider the matter of use of city property by refugee camps.

So ordered.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

In Matter of Suspension of Wm. H. Langdon from Office of District Attorney.

The matter of hearing of charges preferred by his Honor the Mayor, in suspending Wm. H. Langdon from the office of District Attorney of the City and County, was proceeded with.

Motion.

No appearance of Wm. H. Langdon in person or by attorney being noted, Supervisor Boxton moved that the investigation be continued over until Monday, December 3, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

Motion carried by the following vote:
Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—13.

Relating to Alleged Mistreatment of Mrs. Alice Lastia by Relief Committee.

Motion.

Supervisor Coffey called attention to the fact that Mrs. Alice Lastia, a refugee, charged that she had been transferred against her will from one part of Hamilton Square to another and that the Relief Committee had refused to grant her assistance or to house her properly, and moved that the Clerk be directed to communicate to the Relief Committee the statement made by Mrs. Lastia.

Referred.

Supervisor Kelly moved the reference of the matter to the Charities and Correction Committee.

So ordered.

Referred.

Supervisor Rea introduced the following Bills, which were ordered referred to the Judiciary Committee, to wit:

Authorizing Board of Public Works to Sell Old Street Materials at Public Auction.

Bill No. 119, Ordinance No. — (New Series) entitled: "Authorizing the sale at public auction by the Board of Public Works of all paving or other materials that may be declared unfit or unnecessary for the use of the City and County."

Amending "Building Law" Relative to Numbering of Buildings.

Also, Bill No. 120, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled: "Amending section 351 of Ordinance No. 31 (New Series) entitled, 'Regulating the construction, erection, enlargement, raising, alteration, repair, removal, maintenance, use and height of buildings; regulating character and use of materials in and for buildings; establishing fire limits, and repealing all ordinances in conflict with this ordinance,' approved July 5, 1906," the provisions of which relate to the numbering of buildings.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:25 o'clock, adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE. Clerk.

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, December 3rd, 1906.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors noted present: Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journal of previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Petitions—Of A. C. Clark and other property owners of Lower Terrace and the immediate vicinity, for the installation of an electric arc light at the turn of Lower Terrace, between Juno and Saturn streets.

Of A. F. Noethig and numerous others, for the installation of an electric arc light in the vicinity of Wolf and Isabel streets.

Of Mrs. B. Broadsky and others, for the installation of an electric arc light at the southwest corner of San Bruno avenue and Gavin street.

Of the North Beach Improvement Club, for the erection of street lights on Montgomery avenue, Kearny, Dupont, Union, Stockton and Powell streets.

Of P. Minnihan and others, for the installation of electric arc lights on the corner of Seventeenth and Guerrero streets.

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petitions—Of E. P. Murphy for the refunding to him of the sum of \$18, duplicate payment of taxes on the R. E. Roll of 1906.

Of W. M. DeWolf for the refunding to him of the sum of \$3.24, duplicate payment of taxes on the R. E. Roll of 1906.

Of the California Guarantee Investment Company for the refunding to it of the sum of \$2.25, duplicate payment of taxes on the R. E. Roll of 1906.

Of Patrick Haffey, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$8.10, an erroneous payment of taxes on the R. E. Roll of 1906.

Of G. M. McConough, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$12.59, an alleged erroneous payment of taxes on the R. E. Roll of 1906.

Of Mary F. Mangan, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$1.80, duplicate payment of taxes on the R. E. Roll of 1906.

Of E. G. Knapp, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$94.94, alleged to be due on claims for refunding of Hospital and School Taxes of the fiscal year 1902-3.

To the Finance Committee.

Petition—Of the Pacific Coast Wool Depot, for the refunding to it of the sum of \$31.00, being fees paid in excess for advertising resolutions granting engine, boiler and oil permits.

Communication—From the League of California Municipalities, inviting the attendance of the members of the Board of Supervisors to the Ninth Annual Convention of said League to be held at Fresno, December 12, 13 and 14th, 1906.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of Antonio Esperance, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of three horse power in premises situate No. 608 Railroad

avenue, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Of the Fredericksburg Bottling Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 80 horse power in premises situate at Eighteenth and Florida streets, the same to be used in the process of bottling beer.

Of the Dairy Delivery Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and two boilers of eight horse power each in premises situate on the northerly side of Nineteenth street between Valencia and Guerrero streets, the same to be used for sterilizing purposes.

Of E. Laforcade, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 12 horse power in premises situate on the south line of California street, 165 feet east of Larkin street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Of Hammond and Brod, for permission to store and use crude oil in premises situate on southeast corner of Polk and Post streets.

Of the La Parisienne Bakery, for permission to store and use crude oil in premises situate on Mission street between Eleventh and Twelfth streets.

Of L. Lame, for permission to store and use crude oil in premises situate No. 112 Church street.

Of Geo. W. Hooper, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 80 horse power in premises situate on the westerly line of Howard street, 87½ feet southerly from Sixteenth street; also for permission to store and use crude oil under boilers in said premises.

Of Flinn and Treacy, for permission to blast for grading purposes on property situate on the east side of Alameda street, between Precita avenue and Malcolm street.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of Olive F. Carson, M. D., for permission to conduct and maintain a private sanitarium at premises No. 2204 Steiner street.

Of Barry and Scully, for permission to conduct and maintain an undertaking establishment at premises No. 927 Valencia street.

Of J. D. Fitzgerald, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in a veterinary hospital, No. 1714 Mission street.

Of A. Butori, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses on Waller street between Cole and Belvedere streets.

Of Chas. Campodonico, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate on the easterly line of Broadway street 89 feet 6 inches southerly from Bay street.

Of Minnie Gay, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate No. 246 Twelfth avenue.

Of R. E. Greer, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate on the northerly line of Clementina street, 200 feet easterly from Fourth street.

Of House and Nourse, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate on the southerly side of Brannan street 80 feet east of Eighth street.

Of W. A. Sleep, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate on the northerly side of Bryant street between First and Fremont streets.

Of John H. Tietjen, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate at No. 2410 Sutter street.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Communication—From the San Bruno Road Improvement Club, endorsing action of the Board of Supervisors in granting permission to the United Railroads of San Francisco to change its cable lines into the so-called overhead trolley system.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petition—Of Thomas Magee, Chairman of the Land and Building Department of the San Francisco Red Cross Relief Fund, for permission to construct refugee cottages on Bay street, from Laguna street to Van Ness avenue.

Protests—Of Serena H. Knight against permitting the City Engineer to plat Alameda street through Block 40 of the South Beach Water Lot Survey.

Of the Builders' Association of Cal-

formula, against the final passage of Bill No. 108 (New Series), proposing to amend Section 2, of Ordinance No. 485, relative to scale of fees exacted for placing building materials on streets.

Communications—From J. F. O'Brien, Vice-President of the Eureka Construction Company, withdrawing petition against the acceptance of street work on Seventh avenue between "H" and "L" streets.

From the North Central Improvement Association, calling attention to the debris obstructing Sansome street between Clay and Washington streets, and requesting that this condition be remedied.

File.

A communication from the City of Fresno, extending to the officials of San Francisco the freedom of said city on the occasion of the Convention of the League of California Municipalities to take place on December 12, 13, and 14, 1906, was received, read and ordered placed on file.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Board of Education, recommending that the sum of \$160,000 be made available to provide for deficiency in teachers' salaries.

From the Board of Health, recommending that the salaries of the nurses employed in the Emergency Hospital service be increased from \$60.00 to \$75.00 per month, commencing on December 1st, 1906, with the exception of the head nurse, whose salary is recommended at \$85 per month.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending that no demands from said department be passed by the Finance Committee, unless said demands bear the entry number and signature of Bookkeeper of said Board.

To the Joint Committee on Police and License and Orders.

From the Board of Police Commissioners, requesting a conference between said Board and the Police and License Committee of the Board of Supervisors for the purpose of considering among other things, the restriction of the sale of liquor in this city at night time and on Sundays and that proper legislation be imposed governing same.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

From the Hon. Carroll Cook, Judge of the Superior Court, Dept. 12, with requisition for certain furniture.

From the Police Department, with requisition for one heating stove and fuel for Bush street Police Station.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of performing the following street work, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property, to wit:

1. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the southerly side of Washington street, between Maple and Spruce streets.

2. That an 8-inch iron stone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed on "A" street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

3. That a 12-inch iron stone pipe sewer be constructed on Ashbury street, between Sixteenth street and the northerly boundary of the San Miguel Rancho.

4. That an 8-inch iron stone pipe sewer be constructed on Carolina street, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, and that said Carolina street between said points be graded to the official line and grade.

5. That a 12-inch iron stone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed in Sixteenth avenue, between "I" and "J" streets.

Also, recommending the ordering of the following street work, to wit:

That artificial stone sidewalks and a bituminous rock pavement be constructed on the crossing of Twenty-third and Castro streets; that artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on Seventh avenue, between Clement street and Point Lobos avenue; on the crossing of Guerrero and Twenty-second streets; on Twenty-sixth street, between Guerrero and Dolores streets; on Church street between Fourteenth street and Duboce avenue, and that a 12-inch iron stone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed on the crossing of "M" street and Tenth avenue.

Also, recommending that Resolution No. 498 (New Series), setting aside \$2000 out of the "Sewer Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, for the construction of a sewer in Eighth street, northwesterly from Brannan street, be repealed, and that said sum be set aside for the construction of a sewer in Fifth street, southerly from Folsom street.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$48,000 be set aside and appropriated out of the "Sewer Construction Account" of the Public Building Fund, for the construction of a reinforced concrete sewer with appurtenances on Fourteenth street, between Howard and Harrison streets; an iron stone pipe sewer in Howard street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, and in Folsom street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, and in Erie street between Mission and Folsom streets.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Twenty-third and Sanchez streets paved with bituminous rock.

Also, recommending that an additional sum of \$5000.00 be made available for the repaving of Sixteenth street, between Valencia and Folsom streets.

Also, recommending that the Healy, Tibbitts Construction Company be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after November 24, 1906, within which to complete contract for the construction of a sewer in Bacon street, between Union and Lewis streets.

Also, recommending that the City Street Improvement Association be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after January 13, 1907, within which to complete their contract for the repaving of Market street, between Second and East streets.

From the City Engineer, relative to the passage of an Ordinance dedicating a portion of Dolores street, between Fifteenth and Seventeenth streets, for public park purposes.

File.

The following Communications were received, read and ordered placed on file, to wit:

From the Sheriff, notifying of the death of a Jersey cow in County Jail No. 2.

Also, notifying of the loss from the County Jail grounds of two horses condemned by the Fire Department.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

In the Matter of Petition for Sale of Franchise for Crosstown Street Railroad From Page and Scott Streets to Twentieth Street and Potrero Avenue.

San Francisco, Dec. 3, 1906.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Public Utilities, to whom were re-

ferred the petition of numerous property owners and residents of the Mission and Western Addition districts of this City and County, to offer for sale a franchise, pursuant to Charter provisions, for a street railroad line from Page and Scott streets over and along certain streets to Twentieth street and Potrero avenue, begs leave to report in favor of said petition and to strongly urge immediate action thereon by your Honorable Board.

The urgent and pressing necessity of another westerly cross-town line to relieve the terribly congested traffic of Fillmore street is apparent to all, and in the opinion of your Committee action should be taken in the matter without further delay.

Respectfully submitted,

CLAS. BOSTON, Chairman.

JAMES L. GALLAGHER,

JAS. F. KELLY,

SAM DAVIS.

Endorsed: Street Committee.

L. A. REA,

M. W. COFFEY.

Read and ordered filed.

Relating to Improvement of Street Car Service.

A Communication from the San Francisco Labor Council, with numerous suggestions and recommendations for the improvement of the street car service of San Francisco was received and read.

Privilege of Floor.

On motion of Supervisor Coffey, Walter McArthur, representing the San Francisco Labor Council, was granted the privilege of the floor and addressed the Board, stating, in part, that sufficient cars out of repair were housed in the barns, which cars, if repaired, could be used to relieve the present congestion of the traffic over the United Railroads system, and that if the company would pay the prevailing prices for labor said cars could be operated and the service improved.

Reference.

Thereupon the entire matter was ordered referred to the Public Utilities Committee.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$18,846.05, and entered in Register of Demands No. 2 (New Series) and numbered consecutively therein 6721 to 7195 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Gallagher, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said committee having duly examined and approved the same, and on his motion said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boston, Coffey, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Payment, Team Hire.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$654, to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to Warren Improvement Company for teams furnished the Board of Public Works, as per bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Materials, Seventh Street Sewer.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$731.85, to be made out of the Public Building Sewer Construction Account (bond issue) in payment to R. H. Sherman for materials used in the construction of the Seventh-street sewer, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Automobile, Chief of Police.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. — (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$1950, to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to Boyer Motor Car Company for one model G Franklin car furnished the City and County of San Francisco for use of Chief of Police, as per bill rendered.

Authorizing Payments, Supplies, Park.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$4628.56, to be made out of the Park Fund in payment to the following firms for materials, etc., furnished the Park Commissioners, viz:

To Dalziel, Moller & Co., supplies	\$1146.56
To Pope & Talbot, lumber ...	597.59
To McGilvray Stone Co., repairs	2442.00
To J. L. Vermeil, forage	1442.41

\$4628.56

As per contract and bills rendered.

Authorizing Payments, Repairs to Streets, and Stationary Supplies.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$6197.58, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for repairs to streets furnished the Board of Public Works and stationery furnished the Assessor:

To Barber Asphalt Paving Co., repairs of streets, September.	
1906	\$2500.00
To Barber Asphalt Paving Co., repairs of streets, October.	
1906	2500.00
To Barber Asphalt Paving Co., repairs of streets	500.00
To F. Malloye, stationery	697.58

\$6197.58

As per contract and bills rendered.

Permit to Blast.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock:

Resolution No. — (New Series). Granting California Fruit Cannery's Association permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for removing concrete formerly used as foundation for building in block bounded by Beach, Leavenworth, Jefferson and Hyde streets; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5000), as fixed by the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Engine and Boiler Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series). Granting Blanco's Cafe permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect an engine and boiler of fifteen (15) horsepower in premises situate on south side of O'Farrell street, 137½ feet east of Polk street, the same to be used for heating purposes.

Oil Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series). Granting Blanco's Cafe permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank for fuel oil, having a capacity not exceeding 2000 gallons, in premises situate on south side of O'Farrell street, 137½ feet east of Polk street.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series). Granting H. and H. E. Law permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank for fuel oil having a capacity not exceeding 6000 gallons, in premises situate at Pine and

Stockton streets, and known as the "Viavi Building".

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Dunn & Nason permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain two storage tanks for fuel oil, having a capacity not exceeding 500 gallons each, in premises on Willow avenue between Van Ness avenue and Franklin street, and known as "Hotel Savoy".
Establishing Grades on Presidio Street.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 121, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades at certain points on Presidio street, easterly line of, at the easterly line of Baker street, etc.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Providing for Sewer Construction at Fifth and Folsom Streets, and Repealing Resolution No. 493 (New Series), Providing for Sewer Construction at Eighth and Brannan Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. 567 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed December 3, 1906, the following amount be and the same is hereby set aside and appropriated out of the sale of bonds of the City and County for the purposes hereinafter specified, to wit:

Out of the Sewer Construction Account of the Public Building Fund.

For the repair of the Fifth-street sewer, from a point 150 feet southerly from Folsom street to a point 150 feet northerly from Folsom street, including the crossing of Fifth and Folsom streets.

The estimated cost of this work is \$2000.00.

Resolution No. 498 (New Series), approved November 10, 1906, setting aside the sum of \$200.00 for the construction of a 24-inch ironstone sewer, etc., in Eighth street from the center line of Brannan street to a point 341 feet northwesterly therefrom is hereby repealed.

Intention to Change Grade of Mission Street Between Twenty-second and Twenty-third Streets.

Also, Resolution No. 568 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades on the following named streets, at the points hereinafter named, and at the elevations above City base

as hereinafter stated, in accordance with the written recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed November 9, 1906, which changes of grades and establishment thereof be and the same are hereby approved by the Board of Supervisors, as recommended, to wit:

On Mission street, at the crossing of Twenty-second street, at 60.0 feet.

On Minna street at the crossing of Twenty-third street, 60.0 feet (the same being the present official grade). tra main line, separate metallic circuit.

On Mission street, on a line parallel with and 200 feet southerly from the southerly line of Twenty-second street be raised 1 foot and established at 61.0 feet.

(The same being the present official grade.)

On Mission street between Twenty-second street and Twenty-third street, be changed and established to conform to true gradients between the grade elevations above given therefor.

The Board of Public Works is hereby directed to determine the districts to be assessed for benefits and to make an estimate of the cost of making said changes of grade, including an estimate of the damages which may result therefrom or be caused thereby.

Install Telephones.

Also, Resolution No. 569 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company be and is hereby requested to install telephones in the following departments for the transaction of official business, to wit:

The office of the Fire Alarm at No. 2034 Steiner street—One telephone, extra main line, separate metallic circuit.

The Machine Shop of the Department of Electricity at Sixteenth street between Folsom and Harrison streets—One telephone, direct line.

The office of the Head Janitor, situated at headquarters of the Board of Public Works, McAllister and City Hall avenue—One telephone.

Increasing Salary of Sergeant-at-Arms, Board of Supervisors.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. 570 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200.00) be and the same is hereby set aside, appropriated and transferred out of the Surplus Fund into the salary account of Supervisors,

Supervisors' clerks and assistants, 1906-1907, to permit the salary of the sergeant-at-arms of the Board of Supervisors to be increased to the sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$125.00) per month from and after November 1, 1906, and said salary is hereby fixed in said sum from said date.

The attention of the Auditor and of the Treasurer is hereby called to the provisions of this Resolution.

Directing Recorder to Cancel Erroneous Certificates of Sale.

On motion of Supervisor Wilson:
Resolution No. 571 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, The taxes on the second installment for the year 1905 on the following described property were paid April 7, 1906, but through error were not stamped "paid" on the Assessment Roll that the property was sold to the people of the State of California on the 6th day of August, 1906, under Certificate of Sale No. 1233:

Lot east line of Sixth avenue, 100 feet north from Point Lobos avenue, thence north 25x120 feet, O. L. Block 186, Subdivision 9, Volume 37, Page 92, assessed to Elizabeth Vorath, undivided one-half; and

The taxes on the second installment for the year 1905 on the following described property were paid April 30, 1906, but through error were not stamped paid on the Assessment Roll, that the property was sold to the State of California on the 6th day of August, 1906, under Certificate of Sale No. 1398:

Lot east line of Fourth avenue, 175 feet south from I street, thence south 20x120 feet, O. L. Block 675, Subdivision 8, Volume 40, Page 98, assessed to H. T. Scott and Charles E. Green (guardians), mortgage, interest.

Resolved, That the Recorder be and he is hereby directed to cancel Certificate of Sale No. 1233 of August 6, 1906, and Certificate of Sale No. 1398 of August 6, 1906, in accordance with Section 3805, Political Code.

Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan:
Resolution No. 572 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That permisison be and is hereby granted to the following named persons to conduct stables for the accommodation of more than four horses at premises situate at the locations hereinafter specified, to wit:

1. House & Nourse, south side of Brannan street, eighty feet east of Eighth street.

2. Dairy Delivery Company, north side of Nineteenth street, between Valencia and Guerrero streets.

3. F. A. Littlefield, southeast line of Shipley street, 375 feet southwest from Fifth street.

4. C. Olsen, Oak Grove avenue, off Harrison street, between Fifth and Sixth streets.

Veterinary Hospital Permit.

Also, Resolution No. 573 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Dr. J. D. Fitzgerald be and is hereby granted permission to conduct and maintain a Veterinary Hospital, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, at premises located at No. 1764 Mission street.

Referred.

Regulating Operation of Planing Mills.

Supervisor Wilson introduced Bill No. 122, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the erection, maintenance and occupation of structures or buildings used for planing mill or similar purposes," which was,

On his motion, ordered referred to the Fire Committee.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

Respect to Memory of Wife of Supervisor McGushin.

Supervisor Coffey introduced the following resolutions, which were adopted, by rising vote, as Resolution No. 574 (New Series), to wit:

Whereas, This Board has learned with profound regret of the death on this day of the beloved wife of our colleague, Supervisor McGushin; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Board extends its deepest sympathy to our honored associate in his great bereavement, and when this Board adjourns it does so in respect to the memory of Mrs. McGushin.

Further Resolved, That this Resolution be entered at length in the Journal of Proceedings of this day's meeting.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES (Out of Order.)

The Hospital and Health Committee, by Supervisor Lonergan, Chairman, presented a report on the condition of

various institutions controlled by the Board of Health.

Read, and subject matter thereof referred to Charities and Corrections, Finance, Public Buildings and Public Utilities Committees.

In Matter of Suspension of Wm. H. Langdon from Office of District Attorney.

The matter of hearing of charges preferred by his Honor the Mayor, in suspending Wm. H. Langdon from the office of District Attorney of the City and County, was proceeded with.

Motion.

No appearance of Wm. H. Langdon in person or by attorney being noted, Supervisor Furey moved that the investigation be continued over until Monday, December 10, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board adjourned at the hour of 5:05 o'clock adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, December 10, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present: Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Rea, Walsh—12.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

Motion.

Supervisor Furey moved that the meeting of the Board be postponed until Thursday, December 13, 1906, at 2:30 p. m., and that action on all pending matters be deferred until that time.

Motion.

Supervisor Kelly moved that Bills and Accounts be taken up and considered.

So ordered.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Thereupon Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$45,510.03, and entered in Register of Demands No. 2 (New Series) and numbered consecutively therein 7201 to 7766 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Rea, Walsh—12.

Meeting Postponed.

Whereupon, the question was taken and *carried* on Supervisor Furey's motion to postpone meeting and pending matters until Thursday, December 13, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

In Matter of Suspension of Wm. H. Langdon from Office of District Attorney.

Motion.

Supervisor Furey moved that the matter of hearing of charges preferred by his Honor the Mayor, in suspending Wm. H. Langdon from the office of District Attorney of the City and County, be postponed until Monday, December 17, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, the Board at the hour of 4 o'clock adjourned to meet on Thursday, December 13, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Thursday, December 13, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING OF THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of the meetings of November 15, November 19 and November 26, 1906, were read and approved.

The reading of the Journals of subsequent meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Artificial Lights Committee.

Petitions—Of Jas. Rountree and others, for the installation of an electric arc light and gas lamps at Cole and Grattan streets, and along Cole street from Carl street to Alma avenue.

Of T. F. Moran and numerous others, for the installation of electric arc lights at various locations in the Ocean View District.

Of the Holly Park Improvement Club, for the installation of electric arc lights in various locations in the Holly Park District.

Of P. J. McKenna, to install gas lamp in front of premises No. 1124 Pine street.

To the Committee on Charities and Corrections.

Communication—From Alva Udell

on behalf of the ejected refugees, submitting list of authorities in relation to the powers of the Board of Supervisors to control public property.

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petitions—Of Katherine E. Andrews, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$11.67, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1906.

Of Baldwin & Howell, for the refunding to them of the sum of \$479.63, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1906.

Of S. Ducas Company, for the refunding to it of the sum of \$14.65, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1906.

Of Yasuo M. Matsui, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$2.00, poll tax alleged to have been illegally exacted by the Assessor for the year 1906.

Of Mrs. Emma Lingerian, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$5.84, an alleged erroneous assessment of personal property taxes for the fiscal year 1906.

Of the Mierson Banking Company, for the refunding to it of the sum of \$359.60, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1906.

Of Thos. B. Pearce, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$12.05, an erroneous assessment of personal property taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1906.

Of O. G. Sage & Company, to require Tax Collector to accept the first installment of certain taxes without charging a penalty thereon, on the ground that the same was paid by check previous to the 26th day of November, 1906.

Of John Wilson, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$3.00, paid Tax Collector for license to carry firearms.

To the Finance Committee.

Petitions—Of Jos. L. Taffe, attorney for Ah Lee, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$520.00, bail money forfeited

in misdemeanor case of said Ah Lee and 51 other Chinese defendants.

Of the Police Patrol Drivers, to increase their salaries from \$90.00 to \$100.00 per month.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of F. J. Nielson, for permission to install a 7 horsepower electric motor on the southeast corner Twenty-first and Bryant streets, the same to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Of the Elk Tamale Canning Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 8 horsepower in premises situate at No. 2717 Nineteenth street.

Of the Popular Restaurant, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler in premises situate at No. 911 O'Farrell street.

Of W. F. Thomson & Son, for permission to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 3 horsepower in premises situate on Duboce avenue and West Mission street, the same to be used for heating and drying purposes.

Of Chas. I. White, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 100 horsepower in premises situate on the southwest corner of Bay and Stockton streets, the same to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Of the Martland Electric Company and others, to grant permission to the Boyce Lumber Company, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 100 horsepower in premises situate on Twelfth street between Mission and Howard streets.

Of Leon Bonneau, for permission to store and use crude oil in premises situate on the southeast corner of Burrows street and San Bruno avenue.

Of the Dairy Delivery Company, for permission to store and use crude oil in premises situate on Nineteenth street between Valencia and Guerrero streets.

Of the Ideal Restaurant, for permission to store and use crude oil in premises situate at No. 2279 Market street.

Of Joseph McClay, for permission to blast for the purpose of razing walls and removing ruins of building on the south side of Sutter street between Mason and Taylor streets.

Protests—Of O'Connor Bros. and others, against granting permission to Barstow & Sears to maintain a saw mill at premises situate No. 1340 Minna street.

Of the Mission Promotion Association, against granting permission to install an engine and boilers

in premises situate on the north side of Nineteenth street between Guerrero and Valencia streets.

Of C. F. Heuniger and others, against granting permission to install engine and boilers in premises situate on Nineteenth street between Guerrero and Valencia streets.

Communication—From Starr Bros., requesting withdrawal of permission to blast ruins of walls at premises No. 614 Taylor street.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of Michele Nano, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate on the east side of Stockton street between Filbert and Greenwich streets.

Of Geo. F. Old, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses at premises situate No. 810 Folsom street.

Of R. J. Reid and J. J. Minoletti, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises located on the corner of Seventeenth street and Albion avenue.

Of M. M. Roche, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate on Converse street, 175 feet north of Bryant street.

Of W. A. Sleep, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate on the south side of Welch street between Third and Fourth streets.

Of Samuel Triplett, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate on the east side of Converse street, 175 feet north of Bryant street.

Communication—From the California Club, with an appeal for the establishment of a State Sanatorium for the treatment and cure of consumption.

To the Judiciary Committee.

Bond—Of the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company, in the sum of \$5000, with E. J. Zimmer and George N. Brewer, as sureties thereon, filed in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 253, to secure the municipality against all damage for tearing up streets.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Petitions—Of F. A. Healy for permission to lay, maintain and use a pipe line for the transportation of steam

and hot water, on both sides of Van Ness avenue, Polk street, Franklin street, and all streets and avenues intersecting same between Polk and Franklin streets.

Of the California Infantry, First Corps Cadets, for permission to conduct a parade on Washington's Birthday.

To the Public Building Committee.

Communication—From Louis Schmidt with notice that the rental of premises known as Oakwood Hall, located at No. 1805 Devisadero street and used for Police Court purposes, will be increased from \$60.00 to \$250.00 per month from and after December 7, 1906; also with claim in the sum of \$121.25 for damages sustained to personal property in said Police Court.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petitions—Of W. W. Montague & Company, for permission to temporarily occupy premises on Kentucky street between Seventeenth and Mariposa street.

Of Bemis Bros. Bag Company and other property owners, for the reduction of sidewalk widths on Francisco street between Front and Sansome streets, from 15 feet to 8 feet.

Of the Globe Grain Milling Company, for permission to lay, maintain and operate a spur track over and along Francisco street, connecting its warehouse at Montgomery street with the Belt Line Railroad.

Of the Crocker Estate Company and numerous other property owners, to reduce the width of sidewalks on Sansome street between Pacific and Market streets from 15 to 12 feet.

Of the Out Door Art League for the re-passage of an Ordinance dedicating a portion of Dolores street between Fifteenth and Seventeenth streets to public park purposes.

Of Jas. Roundtree and numerous other persons, for the repaving of Cole street between Oak street and Alma avenue.

Of Caroline H. Bainbridge, that the City and County of San Francisco disclaim any right, title or interest in and to a parcel of land belonging to Caroline H. Bainbridge and May H. B. Bogg, situate on the northerly line of Washington street, easterly from Jones street.

Of the United Refugees, Inc., for permission to construct and occupy refugee cottages on the unimproved portions of Grove street between Masonic avenue and Clayton street.

Of the S. F. Graving Company, for permission to blast for grading purposes on Clarendon avenue near Stanyan street.

Protests—Of W. H. Medley, against closing Ocean avenue between Corbett road and the Great Highway.

Of J. W. Reay and other property owners, against granting permission to Marion Campbell, on behalf of refugees, to occupy a portion of Grove street between the Panhandle and Golden Gate Park.

Of F. T. Newberry, against the exaction of fees by the Board of Public Works for side sewer work.

Communications—From the North Central Improvement Association, favoring the passage of an Ordinance reducing the width of sidewalks on Sansome street between Pacific and Market streets.

From the Estes Electrical Company, submitting estimate of cost of furnishing street signs for the burnt district.

File.

A communication from the Merchants' Association of San Francisco, requesting that the Board designate the kind of ornamental poles to be placed on Market street was received, read and ordered placed on file.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Juvenile Detention Home, with report for the month ending November 30, 1906.

From the Board of Library Trustees, requesting that proceedings be taken to have the moneys heretofore collected for the rental of the library lot, known as Western Addition Block No. 73, paid into the Library Fund.

From the Department of Electricity, recommending that the sum of \$500.00 be set aside out of the Urgent Necessity Fund to provide for the reconstruction of the Fire Alarm and Police Telephone System damaged by the storm of December 10, 1906.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending that the contract of W. A. Newsom for construction of the Monroe Primary School be rescinded.

To the Judiciary Committee.

From Hon. F. J. Murasky, Judge of Superior Court, Department 2, with requisition for copies of the California Codes.

From the District Attorney, with requisition for various law books required in his office.

To the Public Building Committee.

From the City Attorney, with requisition for five table lamps required for use in his office.

From the Board of Public Works, with requisition for supplies required for use on Third-street bridge.

From Hon. C. Cook, Judge of the Superior Court, Department 12, requesting that provision be made at once for the proper housing and accommodation of his department; also, with requisition for three white window shades.

From the Sheriff, requesting permission to move his office to some locality in the immediate neighborhood of the Hall of Justice.

From the Police Department, with requisition for gas fixtures and service for Police Station, District No. 5.

From the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, with requisition for carpenter work in his office.

From the Central Emergency Hospital, with requisition for 8 gas radiators.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

From the Board of Education, requesting that the approval of his Honor the Mayor and of the Board of Supervisors be obtained to incur extraordinary expenditures in the sum of \$941,004 in accordance with the provisions of Section 3, Chapter 5, Article 7, of the Charter, for the purpose of reconstructing various schools most urgently needed.

From the City Attorney, submitting copy of opinion rendered the Coroner in relation to the power of city officers to compel witnesses to testify in certain cases.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of performing certain street work, the expense thereof to be assessed on private property:

1. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the north side of Twentieth street between Hartford and Castro streets.

2. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on Alma street between Stanyan street and a point 206 feet easterly therefrom.

3. That an 8-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed in "I" street between Sixteenth and Seventeenth avenues.

4. That an 8-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed in Nineteenth avenue between "I" and "J" streets.

5. That an 8-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed in China avenue between Athens and Vienna streets.

6. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed in Eighth avenue between "C" and Fulton streets and that stone curbs be constructed on the north side of Fulton street between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

7. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the southerly side of "H" street between Fourteenth and Twentieth avenues.

8. That an 8-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed on "M" street between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

9. That an 8-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed in Dawson place between Mason street and the easterly termination of said Dawson place.

10. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the southerly side of Grand street between Scott and Pierce streets.

11. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the southerly side of Cole street between Broderick and Baker streets.

12. That Forty-seventh avenue between "I" and "J" streets be graded to the official line and grade.

Also, recommending the ordering of the following street work, to wit:

That stone curbs, artificial stone sidewalks and a bituminous rock pavement be constructed at the corner of Eighth avenue and "J" street; that stone curbs, artificial stone sidewalks and a bituminous rock pavement be constructed on the corner of "K" street and Ninth avenue; that stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks and a bituminous rock pavement be constructed on the crossing of "M" street and Ninth avenue; that stone curbs, artificial stone sidewalks and a bituminous rock pavement be constructed on the crossing of "N" street and Ninth avenue, and that stone curbs, artificial stone sidewalks and a bituminous rock pavement be constructed on the crossing of "K" street and Tenth avenue.

Also, recommending the full acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Lake street and Second avenue.

Also, recommending that grades be changed and established at certain

points and elevations on Fulton street between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-ninth avenues.

Also, transmitting map showing extent and boundaries of district affected by and to be assessed for the change of grades on Russell street between Hyde street and West End alley.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$1500.00 be set aside and appropriated for the paving with basalt blocks, of the roadway of Collingwood street between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets, in front of city property.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$1200.00 be set aside and appropriated for the repair of the bridge over Bernal cut and Charles street.

Also, recommending that Williams & Belser be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after January 2, 1906, within which to complete his contract for the improvement of Mission street between Fifth and Sixth streets.

Also, requesting that a resolution be passed by the Board of Supervisors requesting an estimate of the cost of installing street signs of wood or metal in the burnt district.

From the City Engineer, requesting that a deed from F. N. Sharon and the Sharon Estate Company be obtained, conveying to the City and County certain lands for the widening of Annie street and Hawthorne street in lieu of the original conveyance which was destroyed in the fire of April 18, 1906.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The following Committees, by their respective chairmen, presented reports on various matters referred, which reports were received, read and ordered filed:

Charities and Corrections Committee, by Supervisor Harrigan.

Hospital and Health Committee, by Supervisor Lonergan.

Public Utilities and Streets, Sewers and Parks (jointly), by Supervisor Bixton.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, *finally passed* by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payment, Election Supplies.

Resolution No. 575 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$7190, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for voting machines and election supplies furnished Election Commissioners, as follows:

To U. S. Standard Voting Machine Co.....	\$3680.00
To Brown & Power, sample ballots, etc.....	2995.00
To H. C. Terry, supplies, etc..	515.00

Total\$7190.00

As per contract and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Authorizing Payment, Water Service, Parks.

Resolution No. 576 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$955.65, to be made out of the Park Fund in payment to the Spring Valley Water Company for water furnished the public parks during the month of October, 1906, as per contract and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Authorizing Payment, Supplies and Water Service.

Resolution No. 577 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2327, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for water furnished the Board of Public Works and wardrobes furnished the San Francisco Fire Department, as follows:

To Spring Valley Water Co., water, October, 1906	\$ 500.00
To R. J. McGrayn, wardrobes.	1827.00

Total\$2327.00

As per contract and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 578 (New Series), Granting J. P. Lorden permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect an engine and boiler of 150 horsepower in premises situate east line of Fifth street, 80 feet south of Perry street, the same to be used for planing mill purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 579 (New Series), Granting Emma M. Coombs permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect a steam boiler of two horsepower in premises situate No.

1213 Post street, the same to be used for heating purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 580 (New Series), Granting Ferro Bros. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank for fuel oil having a capacity not exceeding 400 gallons, in premises situate No. 2813 Twenty-third street.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 581 (New Series), Granting the Independent Baking Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank for fuel oil having a capacity not exceeding 350 gallons, in premises situate No. 4147 Nineteenth street.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 582 (New Series), Granting T. J. Moynihan permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank for fuel oil, having a capacity not exceeding 2500 gallons, in premises situate No. 401 Folsom street.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 583 (New Series), Granting A. Sarantelis permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank for fuel oil having a capacity not exceeding 350 gallons, in premises situate No. 3158 Twenty-second street.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Establishing Grades on Twentieth Avenue.

Bill No. 118, Ordinance No. 111 (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades on Twentieth avenue between K and S streets."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Extensions of Time, Street Work.

Resolution No. 584 (New Series), Granting the Eureka Construction Company an extension of ninety days' time from and after October 28, 1906, within which to complete contract for the construction of sewers in Onondaga and San Jose avenues.

This extension of time is recommended for the reason that the contractor has been unable to secure necessary material to complete the work.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 585 (New Series), Granting J. J. Dowling & Co. an extension of ninety days' time from and after November 19, 1906, within which to complete their contract for the improvement of the crossing of Ninth avenue and J street by the construction of curbs and bituminous rock pavement thereon; and, also granting said J. J. Dowling & Co. an extension of ninety days' time from and after November 19, 1906, on their contract for the improvement of the crossing of Tenth avenue and J street.

These extensions of time are recommended by the Board of Public Works in communication filed November 9, 1906, for the reason that the contractors have been unable to procure the necessary material.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 586 (New Series), Granting Owen McHugh an extension of ninety days' time from and after December 31, 1906, within which to complete the contract for grading, curbing and macadamizing Fulton street between Twenty-fifth avenue and Thirty-fifth avenue.

This extension of time is recommended by the Board of Public Works in communication filed November 9, 1906, by reason of the construction of railroad tracks on said street, thereby delaying said contractor.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Extension of Time, Construction Laguna Honda School.

Resolution No. 587 (New Series), Granting P. P. Quinn an extension of ninety days' time from and after No-

vember 23, 1906, within which to complete contract for construction of Laguna Honda School.

This extension of time is recommended by the Board of Public Works in communication filed November 17, 1906, for the reason that the contractor has been unable to secure necessary material.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Extension of Time, Street Work.

Resolution No. 588 (New Series), Granting C. S. Harney an extension of ninety days' time from and after December 28, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the reconstruction of curbs and pavement on Stevenson street between Third and Fourth streets. This extension of time is recommended by the Board of Public Works in communication filed November 9, 1906, for the reason that the contractor has been unable to complete his contracts on account of debris, etc., on the roadway; and also granting said C. S. Harney an extension of ninety days' time from and after November 30, 1906, within which to complete his contract for the grading, curbing, macadamizing, etc., the roadway and sidewalks of H street between Twentieth and Twenty-eighth avenues. This extension of time is recommended by the Board of Public Works in communication filed November 17, 1906, for the reason that extra filling is necessary.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Permits to Blast.

Resolution No. 589 (New Series), Granting Chadwick & Sykes permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for quarrying purposes in the Parkside District, between W and V streets, Sixteenth and Nineteenth avenues, Eleventh and Thirteenth avenues and Q and S streets, and J and K streets, Eighteenth and Nineteenth avenues; provided that said Chadwick & Sykes shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5000), as fixed by the Board of Public Works in accordance with Ordinance 1204.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 590 (New Series), Granting Timothy Hopkins permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, and limited to a period of sixty days, to explode blasts for grading and building purposes on lot situate on the north line of Townsend street, through to Bluxome street, between Fourth and Fifth streets; provided said Timothy Hopkins shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5000), as fixed by the Board of Public Works in accordance with Ordinance 1204.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Authorizing Payment, Team Hire.

Resolution No. 591 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$654, to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment of Warren Improvement Company for teams furnished the Board of Public Works, as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Authorizing Payment, Materials, Seventh Street Sewer.

Resolution No. 592 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$731.85, to be made out of the Public Building Sewer Construction Account (bond issue) in payment to R. H. Sherman for materials used in the construction of the Seventh-street sewer, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Authorizing Payment, Automobile, Chief of Police.

Resolution No. 593 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$1950, to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to Boyer Motor Car Company for one model G Franklin car furnished the City and County of San Francisco for use of Chief of Police, as per bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Authorizing Payments, Supplies, Park.

Resolution No. 594 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4628.56, to be made out of the Park Fund in payment to the following firms for ma-

terials, etc., furnished the Park Commissioners, viz:

To Dalziel, Moller & Co., supplies	\$146.56
To Pope & Talbot, lumber....	597.59
To McGilvray Stone Co., repairs	2442.00
To J. L. Vermeil, forage.....	1442.41

\$4628.56

As per contract and bills rendered.
Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Authorizing Payments, Repairs to Streets, and Stationery Supplies.

Resolution No. 595 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$6,197.58, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for repairs to streets furnished the Board of Public Works and stationery furnished the Assessor:..

To Barber Asphalt Paving Co., repairs of streets, September, 1906	\$2500.00
To Barber Asphalt Paving Co., repairs of streets, October, 1906	2500.00
To Barber Asphalt Paving Co., repairs of streets	500.00
To F. Malloye, stationery.....	697.58

\$6197.58

As per contract and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Permit to Blast.

Resolution No. 596 (New Series), Granting California Fruit Cannery's Association permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for removing concrete formerly used as foundation for building in block bounded by Beach, Leavenworth, Jefferson and Hyde streets; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5000), as fixed by the Board of Public works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Engine and Boiler Permit.

Resolution No. 597 (New Series), Granting Blanco's Cafe permission, during the pleasure of the Board of

Supervisors, to erect an engine and boiler of fifteen (15) horsepower in premises situate on south side of O'Farrell street, 137½ feet east of Polk street, the same to be used for heating purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 598 (New Series), Granting Blanco's Cafe permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank for fuel oil, having a capacity not exceeding 2000 gallons, in premises situate on south side of O'Farrell street, 137½ feet east of Polk street.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 599 (New Series), Granting H. and H. E. Law permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank for fuel oil having a capacity not exceeding 6000 gallons, in premises situate at Pine and Stockton streets, and known as the "Viavi Building."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Resolution No. 600 (New Series), Granting Dunn & Nason permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain two storage tanks for fuel oil, having a capacity not exceeding 500 gallons each, in premises on Willow avenue between Van Ness avenue and Franklin street, and known as "Hotel Savoy."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

Establishing Grades on Presidio Street.

Bill No. 121, Ordinance No. 112, (New Series), entitled, "Establishing grades at certain points on Presidio street, easterly line of, at the easterly line of Baker street, etc.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—14.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

The presentation of Bills and Ac-

counts was ordered deferred temporarily.

Supervisor Davis was noted present.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Payments, Fire Department Supplies.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock: Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3,526.11, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for goods, etc., furnished San Francisco Fire Department and Department of Electricity, viz:

To Scott & Magner, forage....	\$1521.85
To James A. Snook & Co., forage ..	1300.26
To Pacific Tool and Supply Co., tools	704.06

Total \$3526.11

As per contracts and bills rendered.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2811.04, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for material and forage furnished San Francisco Fire Department, viz:

Moore & Scott Iron Works, material	\$ 510.19
Moore & Scott Iron Works, material ..	779.00
Jas. A. Snook, forage.....	1521.85

\$2811.04

As per contracts and bills rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series).

Authorizing an expenditure of \$10,831.61, to be made out of the Public Building Fund (Street Improvement Account) in payment to Flinn & Treacy for street work, as per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payments, Sewer Work.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$24,296.80, to be made out of the Public Building Fund in payment to the following firms for sewer work done in the City and County of San Francisco under the bond issue, viz:

To Williams & Belser, sewer in Howard street, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets	\$ 1,323.30
To F. Leffler, sewer in Haight street, between Pierce and Steiner streets	1,040.80

To Eureka Construction Co., sewer in Seventh avenue, between H and M streets.. 21,932.70

\$24,296.80

As per contracts and bills rendered.

RELATING TO COLLECTION OF RENTALS FROM REFUGEES.

Report of Charities and Corrections Committee.

To the Honorable, The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Charities and Corrections, to which was referred the written complaint of the Refugees occupying the Public Parks and Squares, protesting against the collection of rents by the Committee of the San Francisco Relief and Red Cross Funds for the use and occupation of buildings and dwelling houses situate upon lands owned by the Municipality and upon public parks and squares, respectfully report as follows:

That a meeting was held by your Committee for consideration of this matter and due notice given to all parties interested; that at said meeting Mr. Oscar Cooper, Attorney at Law, appeared upon behalf of the said San Francisco Relief and Red Cross Committee, and declined to offer any testimony or other evidence relative thereto, in accordance with the instructions stated to have been received from Mr. Rudolph Spreckels, Chairman of said Commission of the Relief and Red Cross Funds; that no attention should be paid to said complaint of the Refugees, and that your Committee should be ignored concerning the same; that certain witnesses appeared on behalf of the Refugees and were duly examined and testified that a number of unauthorized persons, acting upon behalf of the Committee of the San Francisco Relief and Red Cross Funds, evicted the occupants of various Refugee dwellings from their houses by force and violence, without regard to their health or safety, and subjected them to great hardship and exposure; that serious complaints were made as to the harsh and cruel manner in which the Refugees were treated, who could not pay rent; that after duly considering all of the evidence offered, your Committee is advised that the collection and exaction of rents is unlawful and unwarranted, and therefore your Committee presents to your Honorable Board an Ordinance which it

has prepared, entitled "Prohibiting Collection or exaction of rentals for use or occupation of structures or improvements located on public property, except by a duly authorized official or agent of the City and County," and recommends that the same do pass.

C. J. HARRIGAN,
M. W. COFFEY,
JAS. F. KELLY,

Committee on Charities and Corrections.

Read by the Clerk.

Motion.

Supervisor Kelly moved that a copy of the Report be transmitted to his Honor the Mayor.

So ordered.

Passed for Printing.

Prohibiting Collection of Rentals for Use of Structures on Public Property.

Thereupon, Supervisor Harrigan introduced Bill No. 123, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Prohibiting collection or exaction of rentals for use or occupation of structures or improvements located on public property, except by a duly authorized official or agent of the City and County," which was,

On his motion, *passed for printing.*

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock: Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Dairy Delivery Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and two boilers of eighty (80) horsepower each in premises situate on northerly side of Nineteenth street, between Valencia and Guerrero streets, the same to be used for cleaning receptacles.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Antonio Esporance permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 3 horsepower in premises situate at No. 608 Railroad avenue, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Fredericksburg Bottling Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 80 horsepower in premises situate on the corner of Eighteenth and Florida streets, the same to be used in the process of bottling beer.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting J. A. Gay permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 8 horsepower in premises situate at No. 222 Hyde street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Geo. W. Hooper permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and two boilers of 70 horsepower each in premises situate on the westerly line of Howard street, 87 feet 6 inches southerly from Sixteenth street, the same to be used for heating and laundry purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Hulme & Hart permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 200 horsepower in premises situate at Nineteenth and Tennessee streets, the same to be used in the process of scouring wool.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Ernest P. Laforcade permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 12 horsepower in premises situate on the south line of California street, 165 feet easterly from Larkin street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting F. E. Slutman permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 40 horsepower in premises on westerly side of Bryant street, 50 feet north of Army street, the same to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Charles I. White, permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 150 horsepower at premises on the southwest corner of Bay and Stockton streets, the same to be used in the operation of a planing mill.

Oil Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Leon Bonneau permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 1000 gallons in premises situate on the southwest corner of Burrows street and San Bruno avenue, the same to be used for storing therein

crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Dairy Delivery Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 3000 gallons in premises situate on the northerly side of Nineteenth street, between Valencia and Dolores streets, the same to be used for storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Hammond & Brod permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 1500 gallons in premises situate on the northeast corner of Polk and Post streets, the same to be used for storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers situate on said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting George W. Hooper permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 3000 gallons in premises situate on the westerly line of Howard street, 87 feet 6 inches southerly from Sixteenth street, the same to be used for storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Louis Lame permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 240 gallons in premises situate at No. 412 Church street, the same to be used for storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel on said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting La Parisienne Bakery permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank for fuel oil having a capacity not exceeding 150 gallons, in premises situate on Mission street, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets.

Ordering Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 124, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing

the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order the following work:

1. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on both side of Valencia street, between Twenty-third and Twenty-sixth streets.

2. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on both sides of Sixteenth street, between Sanchez and Market streets.

Also, Bill No. 125, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order the following work:.

1. That Church street, between Fourteenth street and Duboce avenue, be improved by the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on both sides thereof, including the southeast angular corner of Church and Reservoir streets.

2. That the crossing of M street and Tenth avenue be improved by the construction of a 12-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances.

3. That the crossing of Castro and Twenty-third streets be improved by the construction of stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks on the four angular corners thereof, and by the construction of a bituminous rock pavement.

4. That Seventh avenue, between Clement street and Point Lobos avenue, be improved by the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on both sides thereof.

5. That the crossing of Guerrero and Twenty-second streets be improved by the construction of an artificial stone sidewalk on the southwesterly angular corner thereof.

6. That H street, between Seventh and Eighth avenue, be improved by the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on the southerly side thereof.

7. That Twenty-sixth street, between Guerrero and Dolores streets, be improved by the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on both sides thereof.

Changing Grades on Vallejo Street between Taylor and Jones Streets.

Also, Bill No. 126, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled: "Changing

and establishing grades at certain points on Valjejo street."

Full Acceptance, Street Crossing.

Also, Bill No. 127, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled: "Providing for the full acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Twenty-third and Sanchez streets, paved with bituminous rock."

Extension of Time, Street Work.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting The City Street Improvement Company an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after January 13, 1907, within which to complete the contract for the grading and constructing of stone curbs and asphalt pavement on Market street, between Second and East streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been delayed on account of the obstruction of laying sewers and the construction of railroad tracks.

Also, an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after January 13, 1907, within which to complete the contract for grading and constructing stone curbs and asphalt pavement on Market street, between Valencia and Twelfth streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been delayed on account of the reconstruction of railroad tracks.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after November 24, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of a sewer and appurtenances in Baker street, between Union and Lewis streets, and the construction of sewers in adjacent streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to procure the necessary material to complete the work.

Relating to an Auxiliary Water System for Fire Protection.

Report of Joint Committee on Public Utilities and Streets, Sewers and Parks.

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors, of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen: Your Joint Committee on Public Utilities and Streets, Sewers and Parks, having under consideration the question of submitting to the Electors of the City and County of San Francisco, a proposition to incur a bonded indebtedness for the purpose of constructing and completing an

Auxiliary Water System for fire protection and for sanitary and flushing purposes, begs leave to report in favor of the submission of said proposition, and as the initial step in the procedure required by law, begs leave to recommend the passage by your Honorable Board of a Declaratory Ordinance, herewith submitted, determining and declaring that public interest and necessity demands the construction of such Auxiliary Water System and directing the Board of Public Works to procure through the City Engineer, plans and estimates of cost thereof.

In connection with said Ordinance your Committee begs leave to state that the direction to the Board of Public Works to file plans and estimates, contemplates a division of the proposition into five projects, covering high pressure, low pressure, and cistern systems of protection in various districts of the City and County.

In the opinion of your Committee the adoption by the Electors of said proposition, and the carrying into effect of its provisions will serve to materially reduce insurance rates throughout the City, aid in the rapid upbuilding of the burned section and give confidence to the People that a repetition of the disaster from fire following the earthquake of April 18th will not occur again, as far as human agency can prevent.

CHAS BOXTON,
Chairman.

Read and ordered filed.

Passed for Printing.

Declaratory Ordinance, Auxiliary Water System for Fire Protection.

Supervisor Boxton introduced Bill No. 128, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled: "Determining and declaring that public interest and necessity demand the construction and completion of an auxiliary water system for fire protection and for sanitary and flushing purposes, and directing the Board of Public Works to procure through the City Engineer and file with the Supervisors plans and estimates of the cost of said system," which was, on his motion, *passed for printing.*

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were *adopted:*

Providing for Preparation of Plans and Estimates of Auxiliary Water System for Fire Protection.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. 601 (New Series), as

follows: Resolved, That the sum of \$7,500 be and is hereby appropriated out of the Surplus Fund to defray the expense of preparing plans and estimates for an Auxiliary Water System for fire protection, in accordance with the Ordinance this day passed to print.

Providing Additional Appropriation of \$5000 for November, 1906, for Board of Public Works.

Also, Resolution No. 602, (New Series), as follows: Resolved, That the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5000) be and the same is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended out of the Surplus Fund of the year 1905-1906, to be added to the appropriation of the Board of Public Works, for the month of November, 1906.

Further resolved, That the attention of the Auditor and Treasurer be and is hereby called to the provisions of this Resolution.

Accepting Offer of G. Taleri, to Sell Land for Fire Department Purposes.

Also, Resolution No. 603 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the offer of Giovanni Taleri (filed November 28, 1906), to sell to the City and County of San Francisco the following described land required for Fire Department purposes, for and in consideration of the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200) to him in hand paid by said City and County be and the same is hereby accepted, to wit:

Commencing at a point on the westerly line of Stockton street distant thereon one hundred and thirty-seven (137) feet two (2) inches northerly from the northerly line of Pacific street; running thence northerly along said line of Stockton street four (4) inches; thence at right angles westerly eighty (80) feet to the easterly line of Virginia place; thence southerly along said easterly line of Virginia place four (4) inches; and thence at right angles easterly eighty (80) feet to the point of commencement. Being a portion of 50-vara Block No. 159.

The City Attorney is hereby directed to pass upon the title to said land, and if the same is found to be vested in said Taleri free from all incumbrances, to cause a good and sufficient deed thereto to be executed and delivered to the City and County, upon payment of the consideration hereinbefore mentioned.

Granting W. W. Montague & Co. Temporary Permit to Occupy Part of Kentucky Street.

On motion of Supervisor Rea: Resolution No. 604 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, in accordance with one of the provisions of its bay shore franchise, the Southern Pacific Company recently granted to the City and County of San Francisco a strip of land twenty (20) feet wide on the northeasterly line of Fourth street, and on the easterly line of Kentucky street for the purpose of widening said streets, whenever the congestion of traffic caused by the operation of the Bay Shore Railroad of said company would warrant such action; and

Whereas, W. W. Montague & Company hold under lease from the Southern Pacific Company, a portion of said strip of land, together with other lands lying on Kentucky street, between Seventeenth and Mariposa streets; and

Whereas, the occasion has not arisen for the widening of Kentucky street, and no appropriation is available for this purpose; now, therefore,

Resolved, That W. W. Montague & Company, as lessees of the said Southern Pacific Company, be and are hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to occupy said strip of land in Kentucky street, between Seventeenth and Mariposa streets, provided that on six months' notice from the Board of Supervisors, or the Board of Public Works of the City and County, that said W. W. Montague & Company shall vacate said land and remove therefrom all structures as may be directed by the Board of Public Works.

Install Telephones.

On motion of Supervisor Nicholas: Resolution No. 605 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company be and is hereby directed to install an individual telephone in the boat house at Stow Lake, Golden Gate Park, and also to install an extension telephone from said individual telephone in the upper portion of said building.

Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. 606 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, In accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 79 of this

Board the following persons be and they are hereby granted permission to conquet and maintain stables for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate at the following locations, to wit:

W. H. Torpey, in premises situate at Nos. 806-808 Buchanan street.

Charles Campodonico, in premises situate at easterly line of Midway street and southerly line of Bay street.

W. R. Harrison, in premises at Nos. 312 and 314 Eleventh street.

Frank Powers, in premises at Twenty-sixth street, near Church street.

W. A. Sleep, in premises at north side of Bryant street between First and Fremont streets.

The Pleasanton Draying Company, in premises situate at Harrison street near Fifth street.

O. Nelson, in premises at Chesley street, north of Bryant street.

San Francisco Paving Company, in premises situate at Ilene avenue between Dolores and Church streets.

John T. Tietjen, to erect an addition to stable at No. 2410 Sutter street.

S. Triplett, at premises on Converse street, north of Bryant street (as per petitions on file).

Repealing Stable Permit, J. J. Flannery.
Also, Resolution No. 607 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That Resolution No. 543, approved November 22, 1906, granting permission to J. J. Flannery to conduct and maintain a stable on the east side of Dolores street between Fifteenth and Sixteenth, for the accommodation of more than four horses, be and the same is hereby repealed, and the said permission is hereby revoked.

Stable Permit.

Also, Resolution No. 608 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That A. Ruef be and he is hereby granted permission to cause to be built and maintained a stable containing more than four horses upon a lot on the south side of Filbert street, 43 feet west of Montgomery avenue.

Undertaker's Permits.

Also, Resolution No. 609 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the following companies and firms be and are hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to conduct and maintain an undertaking and embalming parlor at premises situate at the following locations, to wit:

James McGinn & Co., 832 Fulton street.

Barry & Scully, 927 Valencia street.

Mayor Sell at Public Auction, Condemned Fire Horses and Old Materials.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock: Resolution No. 610 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That in accordance with the provisions of the Charter (Subdivision 33, Section 1, Chapter II, Article II), his Honor the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and empowered to provide for the sale at public auction, after advertising for five days, horses unfit for use in the Fire Department, and old materials such as brass, copper, etc., which cannot be utilized.

Passed for Printing.

Licensing Stationary Engineers and Firemen.

Supervisor Furey introduced Bill No. 129, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the operation of stationary steam engines and stationary steam boilers, providing for the licensing of engineers and firemen thereof and repealing all orders and parts of orders and all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance," which was,

On his motion, *passed for printing.*

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

Supervisor Coleman introduced the following Resolution, and moved the suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Appointing City Engineer T. P. Woodward and Engineer J. R. Price to Investigate and Report upon Availability of Bay Cities Water Company's Supply.

Resolved, That City Engineer Thos. P. Woodward and Engineer J. R. Price be and they are hereby authorized and directed to make a detailed investigation and report to the Board of Supervisors upon the capacity and adequacy of the properties of the Bay Cities Water Company, in order to enable said Board to determine upon the availability of said properties as a source of water supply for San Francisco.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Coleman, and numbered Resolution No. 611 (New Series).

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$19,935.45 and entered in Register of Demands No. 2 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 7773 to 7988 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Gallagher, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having

duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Loneragan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 5:45 o'clock, adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, December 17, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Harrigan, Kelly, Mamlock, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh—12.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of previous meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented; received and referred as follows:

To the Charities and Corrections Committee.

Communication—From Jas. D. Phelan, Chairman of the San Francisco Relief and Red Cross Funds, with expression of views relative to the care and protection of refugees housed on public property.

To the Joint Committee on Charities and Corrections and Police.

Communication—From J. Geo. Thomas, requesting that the Relief Corporation Police be removed, on account of their brutal and vulgar actions toward himself and other refugees.

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petitions—From the Norton Land Company, for the refunding to it of the sum of \$27.22, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1906.

Of the San Francisco Savings Union,

for the refunding to it of the sum of \$58.44, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1906; also for the refunding to it of the sum of \$646.38, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1906.

Of G. H. Umbesen & Company, for the refunding to them of the sum of \$132.60, representing duplicate payments of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1906.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of Geo. W. Caswell Company, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 6 horsepower in premises No. 530 Folsom street, the same to be used for heating water.

Of the California Cafe, for permission to store and use crude oil in premises No. 1624 Ellis street.

Of the Occidental Construction Company, for permission to blast for the purpose of removing the ruins of Mission Dolores Church at Sixteenth and Dolores streets.

Protests—Of A. B. Long and numerous other property owners, against granting permission to any person to install steam boiler in building located at No. 160 Germania avenue.

Of Jos. Henry and others, against the operation of a planing mill at premises known as No. 1032 Golden Gate avenue, on the ground that the same constitutes a public nuisance.

To the Joint Committee on Fire and Public Buildings.

Petition—Of Geo. D. Graybill and others, to amend the Building Law, by providing for the sheathing of walls in light areas in Class "C" buildings with redwood, lined with asbestos paper and a covering of galvanized iron.

To the Finance Committee.

Petition—Of Jas. A. Snook & Company, to be released from their bid to

supply butter and eggs to the City and County.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of the California Wine Association, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate on Fourteenth street between Brannan and Townsend streets.

Of D. Giovannini, for permission to erect and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises No. 810 Pacific street.

Of F. H. Smith, for permission to erect and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate on northeast corner of Seventh and Harrison streets.

Of H. Vaughan, for permission to erect and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate on Thirteenth street, 160 feet east of Howard street.

Protest—Of Geo. Philip Anderson and numerous others, for the revocation of permit to conduct and maintain a stable on the easterly line of Dolores street between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets.

To the Police Committee.

Petition—Of the Manhattan Athletic Club, for permission to conduct a boxing exhibition on January 25, 1907.

To the Joint Committee on Public Utilities and Streets, Sewers and Parks.

Communication—From the United Railroads of San Francisco, submitting statement of the condition of reconstruction work on the street railways of said company.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petitions—Of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company, to construct and maintain a spur track on Beach street between East and Leavenworth streets.

Of the Pacific Hardware and Steel Company, for permission to lay and maintain a spur track on De Haro street between Alameda and Sixth streets.

Protest—Of D. E. Collins and others, against the acceptance of sidewalk work done on Eighth avenue between "J" and "K" streets, on the ground that the same has not been performed in accordance with standard specifications.

File.

The following matters were received, read and ordered placed on file, to wit:

Petitions—Of Phillip Rolger Company and others, for the closing of Ocean avenue between Corbett avenue and the Great Highway.

Of Jos. A. McFaul and others, for the closing of Ocean avenue between Corbett road and the Great Highway.

Of the San Francisco Golf and Country Club, for the closing of Ocean avenue from Corbett avenue to the Great Highway.

Of the Pope, Toledo Automobile Company, for the closing of Ocean avenue between Corbett road and the Great Highway.

Of H. Lorentzen and numerous other residents and property owners of Ingleside, Lake View and Ocean avenue districts, for the closing of Ocean avenue.

Of E. M. Graney, for the closing of Ocean avenue.

Of Sunset Improvement Club, for the closing of Ocean avenue.

Of the 39th District Improvement Club, for the closing of Ocean avenue.

Communications—From the Security Bank Note Company, requesting an opportunity to bid on the printing of municipal bonds.

From the Columbian Bank Note Company, requesting an opportunity to bid on the printing of municipal bonds.

From the North Central Improvement Association, with report for November, 1906.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Board of Education, requesting that an appropriation of \$13,000.00 be set aside and authorized to be expended for the repair of school houses damaged by the storm of December 10, 1906.

To the Joint Committee on Finance and Charter Amendments.

From the Board of Fire Commissioners, recommending the submission to the electors of a proposal to amend the Charter by placing under the control of the said Commissioners the construction of all Fire Department buildings.

To the Printing and Salaries Committee.

From the Stationery Department of the Board of Supervisors, with report for month ending October 31, 1906.

To the Public Buildings Committee.

From the Sheriff, notifying Board of great damage done to Branch Jails 2 and 3 by the storm of December 10, 1906, and requesting that immediate action be taken to repair same.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of constructing artificial stone sidewalks and a bituminous rock pavement on the crossing of Cole and Shrader streets, and that the expense thereof be assessed in whole or in part on private property.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$650 be set aside for the repair of the Berkshire-street tunnel.

IN THE MATTER OF CLOSING OF OCEAN AVENUE.

In accordance with Resolution No. 541 (New Series), the hearing of objections and protests against the closing of Ocean avenue between Corbett avenue and the Great Highway was proceeded with.

Hearing.

F. V. Meyers, attorney representing Ingleside protestants, was heard objecting to the closing of the avenue on the ground that the road was an old established one, was picturesque and that its abandonment will result in injury to property on the remainder of the avenue left open. There was no objection to opening another road, but only to the closing of the old road.

L. A. Smith, H. F. Andersen, W. S. White, F. Dolle, Chas. W. Bonar, J. H. Truett, T. M. Cronin and G. B. Leake, residents and property owners of Ingleside, were heard objecting to the closing of the avenue.

R. P. Schwerin, representing Automobile Club of California, was heard favoring closing of avenue, stating in part that all owners of property within half a mile thereof took this position.

Wm. F. Brobeck, attorney representing the Parkside Realty Co., addressed the Board favoring the closing of Ocean avenue and claimed that instead of Ingleside property being injured by the closing of the old road and the opening of the new, the values thereof would be greatly increased.

Overruling Objections to Closing of Ocean Avenue.

Thereupon Supervisor Coleman introduced the following Resolution and moved its adoption:

Whereas, This Board did by Resolution No. 541 (New Series) fix the

chambers of the Board of Supervisors at Laguna and Grove streets, in the City and County of San Francisco, as the place, and Monday, the 17th day of December, 1906, at the hour of 3:30 o'clock p. m. of said day, as the time for the hearing of protests and objections heretofore filed with the clerk of this Board to the closing of Ocean avenue, as set forth and declared in Resolution No. 431 (New Series); and

Whereas, The clerk of this Board has deposited a copy of said Resolution No. 541 (New Series) in the United States mail, postage prepaid, to each protestant and objector as a notice of said hearing, and has caused said Resolution to be published in the official newspaper, as required by law; and

Whereas, Said protestants and objectors have appeared at the time and place named and have stated their objections to the closing of said avenue, and the same have been heard and considered by this Board; and

Whereas, It is the opinion of this Board that the public interest and convenience would be promoted by the closing of said avenue; now therefore be it

Resolved, That said protests and objections be and the same are hereby overruled.

Action Postponed.

Supervisor Kelly moved that action on the Resolution be postponed until the next meeting.

So ordered.

Special Order.

Supervisor Coffey moved that when the Board adjourns, it does so to meet on Thursday, December 20, 1906, at 2:30 p. m., and that the matter of closing of Ocean avenue be made a Special Order of Business at that hour.

So ordered.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Thereupon Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$18,425.87, and entered in register of Demands No. 3 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 1 to 374 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were

so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boston, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Har-

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Payments, Supplies.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2700, to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to the Pacific Tool and Supply Company for machinery supplied Corporation Yard of the San Francisco Fire Department, as per contract and bill rendered.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4123.68 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to

Thos. Morton & Sons, coal ... \$ 554.50
Barber Asphalt Paving Co.,

street repairs 2500.00
Spring valley Water Co.,

Boiler Permit.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting W. C. Worth permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of ten (10) horsepower in premises, No. 421 Valencia street, the same to be used for vulcanizing automobile tires.

Extension of Time, Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Williams & Belser an extension of sixty (60) days' time from and after January 2, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the repaving of Mission street between Fifth and Sixth streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractors have been delayed on account of the interference of the railroad company in the reconstruction of its tracks.

Permit to Blast.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Occidental Contracting Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the purpose of removing the ruins of Mission Dolores Church at Sixteenth and Dolores streets.

Provided that said Occidental Contracting Company file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$5000, as fixed by the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Ordering Street Work.

Also, Bill No. 130, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor, and authorizing the Board of Public works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order the following work:

1. That stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the four angular corners of the crossing of Eighth avenue and J street; that the roadway thereof be paved with bituminous rock pavement, and that brick cesspools and ironstone pipe culverts be constructed, one each, on the northeasterly, southeasterly and southwesterly corners of said crossing.

2. That stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the four angular corners of the crossing of K street and Ninth avenue; that a bituminous rock pavement be constructed on the roadway thereof, and that two brick cesspools and ironstone pipe culverts be constructed on the southeasterly and southwesterly angular corners of the said crossing.

3. That the crossing of Eighth avenue and I street be improved by the construction of stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks on each of the four angular corners thereof; by the construction of bituminous rock pavement on the roadway thereof, and by the construction of an ironstone pipe sewer and appurtenances in said crossing.

4. That the crossing of M street and Ninth avenue be improved by the construction of stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks on each of the four angular corners thereof; by the construction of a bituminous rock pavement on the roadway thereof, and by the construction of an ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances in said crossing.

5. That the crossing of N street and Ninth avenue be improved by the construction of stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks on the four angular corners thereof; by the construction of a bituminous rock pavement on the roadway thereof, and by the construction of four cesspools in said crossing.

6. That the crossing of K street and Tenth avenue be improved by grading the same to official line and grade; by the construction of stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks on the four

angular corners thereof; by the construction of a bituminous rock pavement on the roadway thereof, and by the construction of four brick cesspools in said crossing.

Sale of Bonds.

On motion of Supervisor Boxton:

Bill No. 131, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the sale of certain bonds of the City and County of San Francisco, fixing the date when bids will be received for the purchase of the same and directing the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to give notice thereof." the provisions of which provide for the sale on the 28th day of January, 1907, of the following bonds of the City and County:

For the sale of Sewer Bonds to the amount of one million eighty-seven thousand two hundred (\$1,087,200) dollars, comprising all the bonds of the denominations of one hundred (\$100) dollars, five hundred (\$500) dollars and one thousand (\$1000) dollars of the fifth to the tenth series, both inclusive.

For the sale of Street Bonds to the amount of four hundred and eighty-six thousand (\$486,000) dollars, comprising all the bonds of one hundred (\$100) dollars, five hundred (\$500) dollars and one thousand (\$1000) dollars of the fifteenth to the twenty-sixth series, both inclusive.

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan:
Resolution No. 612 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That in accordance with Ordinance No. 79 of this Board, F. H. Smith be and is hereby granted permission to erect and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four (4) horses in premises situate at the east side of Seventh street, fifty (50) feet north of Harrison street, in the rear.

Committees Report Estimates Rehabilitation of Institutions.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:
Resolution No. 613 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, Many of the public building, schools, sewers and street pavements of the City and County were damaged or entirely destroyed during the earthquake-fire of April 18, 1906, and the growing needs of the City and County require the reconstruction of many institutions which, although not

destroyed by fire, have outlived their usefulness; therefore

Resolved, That the following committees of this Board be and they are hereby directed to ascertain the amounts necessary for the construction, reconstruction, repair or equipment of the following institutions, and to report the result thereof to the Finance Committee of this Board, in order that steps may be taken toward securing a bond issue to cover the expense of doing such work, to wit:

Education and Public Buildings Committee—Schools.

Electricity and Public Buildings committee—Department of Electricity, buildings and equipment.

Fire and Public Buildings committee—Fire houses and equipment.

Hospital and Health and Public Buildings committee—Hospitals and almshouse.

Police and Public Buildings committee—Police stations and quarters.

Streets, Sewers and Parks committee—Pavements, sewers and parks.

City Attorney Institute Action to Determine Location of City and County Hospital.

Also, Resolution No. 614 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, this Board, by resolution duly adopted in February, 1906, determined to locate the City and County Hospital proposed under the bond issue upon the site of the present hospital instead of upon the Almshouse tract, as specified in said bond issue; and

Whereas, A question has arisen as to whether or not said new hospital can be located as determined by this Board; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Attorney be and he is hereby requested to cause an action to be instituted in the courts to determine whether or not this Board may legally proceed to construct said new City and County Hospital upon the site of the present buildings.

Board of Public Works Report Estimate of Cost of Street Signs.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:
Resolution No. 615 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and is hereby requested to furnish this Board with an estimate of the cost of installing at street corners the necessary signs of wood or metal whereon is indicated the names of streets.

Re-awarding Grant of Land to Agnes J. Bodkin.

On motion of Supervisor Harrigan:
Resolution No. 616 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, on the ninth day of April, A. D. 1906, this Board, by its Ordinance of Grant No. 549, awarded and adjudged to Agnes J. Bodkin a grant of the land hereinafter described; and

Whereas, Said ordinance was thereafter published in The Evening Post, the official newspaper of this City and County, on the 11th and 12th days of April, A. D. 1906, as appears by the files of said newspaper of those days still extant; and

Whereas, The fire which occurred in this city on the 18th, 19th and 20th days of April of this year destroyed the original record of said ordinance, and in consequence thereof the publication required by law giving notice of said grant has never been made; and

Whereas, The said Agnes J. Bodkin has heretofore presented to and filed with this Board her petition setting forth amongst others the facts hereinbefore recited and praying for a resolution re-establishing of record the said Ordinance of Grant No. 549 and causing publication to be made of notice of the grant thereby made to her as aforesaid.

Resolved, That there be and is hereby awarded and adjudged anew to the said Agnes J. Bodkin a grant of all that certain lot of land situated in this City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Carolina street, distant thereon two hundred (200) feet southerly from the southerly line of Twentieth street; running thence southerly and along the said easterly line of Carolina street fifty (50) feet; thence at right angles easterly one hundred (100) feet; thence at right angles northerly fifty (50) feet, and thence at right angles westerly one hundred (100) feet to the said easterly line of Carolina street and the point of commencement. Being a part of Potrero Nuevo Block No. 196.

And that the Clerk be and he is hereby directed to make publication of this Resolution and of the said grant of said land as required by law.

Intention to Construct Overhead Electric Trolley Road on Geary Street.

On motion of Supervisor Baxton:
Resolution No. 617 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That this Board hereby declares its intention to proceed with the construction of an overhead electric trolley railroad, with modern equipment and appliances, on Geary street from Kearny street to Point Lobos avenue and on Point Lobos avenue to Tenth avenue, to Golden Gate Park, and the Clerk of this Board is hereby directed to prepare the necessary resolutions and ordinances essential to its determination.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

In Matter of Suspension of Wm. H. Langdon from Office of District Attorney.

Motion.

Supervisor Kelly moved that the matter of hearing of charges preferred by his Honor the Mayor, in suspending Wm. H. Langdon from the office of District Attorney of the City and County, be postponed until Monday, December 31, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

So ordered.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, the Board at the hour of 6 o'clock adjourned to meet on Thursday, December 20, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Thursday, December 20, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Baxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Loneragan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz presiding.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The reading of the Journals of preceding meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were presented, received and referred as follows:

To the Charities and Corrections Committee.

Communication—From the United Refugees, respecting the administration of the Relief Funds.

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petitions—Of Mrs. M. Burns, for the refunding to her of the sum of \$12.76, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1906.

Of Walter Mohns, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$29.84, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1906.

Of the Union Trust Company of San Francisco, for the refunding to it of moneys paid in duplicate on the Real Estate Roll of 1906.

Of S. W. Whitney, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$7.91, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1906.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of the National Brewing Company, for permission to store and use crude oil for fuel in premises situate on the corner of Fulton and Webster streets.

Of Jno. E. Heilmann and other property owners, to refuse a permit to one J. A. Nielson to operate a planing mill at Twenty-first and Bryant streets.

Communication—From the California Club, approving the action of the Merchants' Association in requesting the submission of a proposition to the electors to install an auxiliary salt water system for fire protection.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of A. Butori, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses on the north side of Waller street between Cole and Belvedere streets.

Of Mrs. H. O'Connor, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate on the northerly line of Clara street, 225 feet easterly from Sixth street.

To the Public Utilities Committee.

Communication—From the Ohio Iron and Steel Company, Chicago, Ill., advising that said company is in a position to furnish rails for street railway purposes, in the event of constructing a municipal street railroad.

Petitions—Of the Western Pacific Railway Company, for a franchise for a period of forty-six years and five months to construct, maintain and operate a steam railroad over and along Beach street from the Belt Railroad to Leavenworth street.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petition—Of the Morgan Reid Com-

pany, for permission to lay, maintain and operate a spur track over and along Utah street between Alameda and Fifteenth streets.

To His Honor the Mayor.

Bond—Of the Occidental Contracting Company, in the sum of \$5000.00 with the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company as surety thereon, filed in connection with its permission to blast for the purpose of removing ruins of Mission Dolores Church, on the corner of Sixteenth and Dolores streets.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Department of Elections, submitting statement of expenses of said department for six months ending December 31, 1906, and requesting that an additional sum of five thousand dollars be appropriated to meet extra expenses to the end of the fiscal year.

To the Fire Committee.

From the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, recommending an amendment to the declaratory ordinance, in the matter of an auxiliary water system for fire protection, by providing for the construction of cisterns throughout the residence and business sections of the City and County.

IN THE MATTER OF CLOSING OF OCEAN AVENUE.

Special Order.

The Special Order of Business, fixed for this day, namely, the hearing in the matter of the closing of Ocean avenue between Corbett avenue and the Great Highway, was proceeded with.

Hearing.

*S. A. Smith, property owner of Ingleside, was heard objecting to the closing of the road.

Edward Ewald, property owner of Sunset District, was heard favoring closing of old road and opening of the new.

Whereupon, the hearing was ordered closed.

Adopted.

Overruling Objections to Closing of Ocean Avenue.

Thereupon, the following Resolution, introduced at the previous meeting, was taken up on question of adoption:

Whereas, This Board did by Resolution No. 541 (New Series) fix the chambers of the Board of Supervisors at Laguna and Grove streets, in the

City and County of San Francisco, at the place, and Monday, the 17th day of December, 1906, at the hour of 3:30 o'clock p. m. of said day, as the time for the hearing of protests and objections heretofore filed with the clerk of the Board to the closing of Ocean avenue, as set forth and declared in Resolution No. 431 (New Series); and

Whereas, The clerk of this Board has deposited a copy of said Resolution No. 541 (New Series) in the United States mail, postage prepaid, to each protestant and objector as a notice of said hearing, and has caused said Resolution to be published in the official newspaper, as required by law; and

Whereas, Said protestants and objectors have appeared at the time and place named and have stated their objections to the closing of said avenue, and the same have been heard and considered by this Board; and

Whereas, It is the opinion of this Board that the public interest and convenience would be promoted by the closing of said avenue; now therefore be it

Resolved, That said protests and objections be and the same are hereby overruled.

Adopted, by the following vote as Resolution No. 618 (New Series):

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Passed for Printing.

Closing Ocean Avenue Between Corbett Avenue and the Great Highway.

Supervisor Rea introduced Bill No. 132, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Closing, vacating and abandoning Ocean avenue from its intersection with the easterly line of Ocean boulevard (or the Great Highway) to its intersection with the westerly line of Corbett avenue, being for a distance of one (1) block," which was

On his motion *passed for printing*.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Public Buildings Committee, by Supervisor Nicholas, presented a report on various matters referred, which was received, read and ordered filed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Consideration of Unfinished Business was ordered deferred temporarily.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

The presentation of Bills and Accounts was ordered deferred temporarily.

NEW BUSINESS.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Payments, Construction and Repairs, Park.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$4244.45, to be made out of the Park Fund in payment to the following named, to wit:

The McGilvray Stone Co., for repairs to music stand	\$3534.55
Cronan's Eagle Cornice Works, for material and labor	709.90
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	\$4244.45

As per contracts and bills rendered.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Mamlock: Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting W. T. Thomson & Son permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 8 horsepower in premises situate at Duboce avenue and West Mission street, the same to be used for heating glue.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting the Popular Restaurant permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 8 horsepower in premises situate 911-913 O'Farrell street, the same to be used for steaming potatoes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Geo. W. Caswell permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of six (6) horsepower in premises situate No. 530 Folsom street, the same to be used for heating purposes.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Elk Tamale Canning Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 8 horsepower in premises situate No. 2717 Nineteenth street, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Oil Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Ideal Restaurant permission to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 350 gallons in premises situate No. 2279 Market street, for the purpose of storing crude petroleum to be used as fuel in said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting National Brewing Company permission to erect and maintain

a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 3000 gallons in premises situate on Fulton and Webster streets, for the purpose of storing crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series). Granting Fredericksburg Bottling Company permission to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 2500 gallons in premises situate at Eighteenth and Alabama streets, for the purpose of storing crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series). Granting California Cafe permission to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 450 gallons in premises situate at 1624-1626 Ellis street, for the purpose of storing crude petroleum to be used as fuel in said premises.

Authorizing Payment, Lighting Service.

On motion of Supervisor Davis:

Resolution No. — (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$18,644.92, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to San Francisco Gas and Electric Company for lighting of streets and public buildings during the months of November, 1906, as per contract and bill rendered.

Amending Ordinance Regulating Rates of Fare of Public Passenger Vehicles.

On motion of Supervisor Coleman:

Bill No. 92, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 7 of Order No. 1611, entitled, 'Regulating the use of vehicles on the public streets and boats in the waters of the Bay,' approved December 23, 1880," the provisions of which amend the rates of fare to be charged by public passenger vehicles.

Amending "Building Law", Relative to Numbering of Buildings.

Also, Bill No. 120, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 351 of Ordinance No. 31 (New Series), entitled, 'Regulating the construction, erection, enlargement, raising, alteration, repair, removal, maintenance, use and height of buildings; regulating character and use of materials in and for buildings; establishing fire limits, and repealing all ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance,' approved July 5, 1906," the provisions of which relate to the numbering of buildings.

Amending "Building Law", Relative to Mansard Roofs and to "Mill Construction".

Also, Bill No. 133, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 31 (New Series), entitled, 'Regulating the construction, erection, enlargement, raising, altering, repair, removal, maintenance, use and height of buildings, regulating character and use of materials in and for buildings, establishing fire limits and repealing all Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance,' approved July 5, 1906, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 235A, relating to Mansard roofs, and amending Sections numbered 43, 44 and 196 thereof."

Ordering Street Work.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Bill No. 134, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same."

Note—(The above Bill is duplicate of Bill No. 130, passed for printing December 17, 1906.)

Changing Grades on Russell Street.

Also, Bill No. 135, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Changing and establishing grades at certain points on Russell street."

County Clerk Appoint Ten Additional Copyists.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:

Bill No. 136, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the employment of ten additional copyists for the County Clerk's office, and fixing their compensation."

Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Intention to Change Grades on Fulton Street Between Twenty-fifth Avenue and Twenty-ninth Avenue.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. 619 (New Series), Declaring it to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors to change and establish grades at certain points and elevations on Fulton street between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-ninth avenues, in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, filed December 7, 1906, and directing said Board to determine the district to be assessed for benefits and

to make an estimate of the cost of making said changes of grade, including an estimate of the damages which may result therefrom or be caused thereby.

Fixing Time for Hearing Appeal from Street Assessment Eighth Avenue Between "J" and "K" Streets.

Also, Resolution No. 620 (New Series), as follows:

Whereas, D. E. Collins, 307 J street, and F. Tomasini, 2923 Jackson street, filed, December 15, 1906, an appeal from the assessment made by the Board of Public Works for the sidewalk work done by Carl Martin on Eighth avenue between J and K streets, for the reason that the work has not been performed according to the specifications.

Resolved, That the hearing of the appeal be set for Monday, January 14, 1907, at 3 p. m.

Providing for December, 1906, Deficiency Police Department Salaries.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. 621 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of three thousand two hundred dollars (\$3200) be and is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended out of the Surplus Fund of the year 1905-1906 to provide for the payment of balance due for Police Department salaries during the month of December, 1906.

Further resolved, That the attention of the Auditor and Treasurer be and is hereby called to the provisions of this Resolution.

Stable Permits.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. 622 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 79 of this Board the following firms be and they are hereby granted, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, permission to conduct and maintain stables at the locations hereinafter mentioned:

D. Giovannini, 810 Pacific street.

Frank H. Smith, Seventh and Harrison streets.

California Wine Company, Fourth street between Brannan and Townsend.

Providing for Increased Salaries of Market Inspectors.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher: Resolution No. 623 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of four hundred and fifty dollars (\$450) be and

is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended out of the Surplus Fund to provide for the payment of salaries of Market Inspectors employed by the Board of Health.

The attention of the Auditor and Treasurer be and is hereby called to the provisions of this Resolution.

Providing for Book Typewriting Machines for County Clerk.

Also, Resolution No. 624 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That the sum of seventeen hundred and fifty dollars (\$1750.00) be and the same is hereby appropriated, set aside and authorized to be expended out of the Surplus Fund to provide for the purchase by the Printing and Salaries Committee of this Board of ten (10) book typewriting machines.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS (Out of Order).
Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing were taken up, finally passed by the following votes, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payments, Fire Department Supplies.

Resolution No. 625 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$3,526.11, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for goods, etc., furnished San Francisco Fire Department and Department of Electricity, viz:

To Scott & Magner, forage....	\$1521.85
To James A. Snook & Co., forage	1300.26
To Pacific Tool and Supply Co., tools	704.00

Total	\$3526.11
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As per contracts and bills rendered.
Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Resolution No. 626 (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$2811.04, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to the following firms for material and forage furnished San Francisco Fire Department, viz:

Moore & Scott Iron Works, material	\$ 510.19
Moore & Scott Iron Works, material	779.00
Jas. A. Snook, forage.....	1521.85

\$2811.04

As per contracts and bills rendered.
Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher.

Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Authorizing Payment, Street Work.

Resolution No. 627 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$10,831.61, to be made out of the Public Building Fund (Street Improvement Account) in payment to Flinn & Treacy for street work, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Authorizing Payment, Sewer Work.

Resolution No. 628 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$24,296.80, to be made out of the Public Building Fund in payment to the following firms for sewer work done in the City and County of San Francisco under the bond issue, viz.:

To Williams & Belser, sewer in Howard street, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets,	\$ 1,323.30
To F Leffler, sewer in Haight street, between Pierce and Steiner streets	1,040.80
To Eureka Construction Co., sewer in Seventh avenue, between H and M streets..	21,932.70

\$24,296.80

As per contracts and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Prohibiting Collection of Rentals for Use of Structures on Public Property.

Bill No. 123, Ordinance No 113 (New Series), entitled, "Prohibiting collection or exaction of rentals for use or occupation of structures or improvements located on public property, except by a duly authorized official or agent of the City and County."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 629 (New Series), Granting the Dairy Delivery Co. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and two boilers of

eighty (80) horsepower each in premises situate on northerly side of Nineteenth street, between Valencia and Guerrero streets, the same to be used for cleaning receptacles.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Resolution No. 630 (New Series), Granting Antonio Esporance permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a steam boiler of 3 horsepower in premises situate at No 608 Railroad avenue, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Resolution No. 631 (New Series), Granting Fredericksburg Bottling Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 80 horsepower in premises situate on the corner of Eighteenth and Florida streets, the same to be used in the process of bottling beer.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Resolution No. 632 (New Series), Granting J. A. Gay permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 8 horsepower in premises situate at No. 222 Hyde street, the same to be used for laundry purposes

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Resolution No. 633 (New Series), Granting George W. Hooper permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and two boilers of 70 horsepower each in premises situate on the westerly line of Howard street, 87 feet 6 inches southerly from Sixteenth street, the same to be used for heating and laundry purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin,

Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson
—15.

Resolution No. 634 (New Series),
Granting Hulme & Hart permission,
during the pleasure of the Board of
Supervisors, to erect and maintain an
engine and boiler of 200 horsepower in
premises situate at Nineteenth and
Tennessee streets, the same to be used
in the process of scouring wool.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey,
Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher,
Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin,
Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson
—15.

Resolution No. 635 (New Series),
Granting Ernest P. Laforcade permis-
sion, during the pleasure of the Board
of Supervisors, to erect and maintain
an engine and boiler of 12 horsepower in
premises situate on the south line
of California street, 165 feet easterly
from Larkin street, the same to be
used for laundry purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey,
Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher,
Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin,
Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson
—15.

Resolution No. 636 (New Series),
Granting F. E. Slutman permission,
during the pleasure of the Board of
Supervisors, to erect and maintain an
engine and boiler of 40 horsepower in
premises on westerly side of Bryant
street, 50 feet north of Army street,
the same to be used in the operation
of a planing mill.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey,
Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher,
Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin,
Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson
—15.

Resolution No. 637 (New Series),
Granting Charles I. White permission,
during the pleasure of the Board of
Supervisors, to erect and maintain an
engine and boiler of 150 horsepower at
premises on the southwest corner of
Bay and Stockton streets, the same to
be used in the operation of a planing
mill.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey,
Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher,
Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin,
Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson
—15.

Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 638 (New Series),
Granting Leon Bonneau permission,
during the pleasure of the Board of
Supervisors, to erect and maintain a

storage tank having a capacity not ex-
ceeding 1000 gallons in premises situ-
ate on the southwest corner of Bur-
rows street and San Bruno avenue, the
same to be used for storing therein
crude petroleum, to be used as fuel
under boilers in said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey,
Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher,
Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin,
Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson
—15.

Resolution No. 639 (New Series),
Granting Dairy Delivery Company per-
mission, during the pleasure of the
Board of Supervisors, to erect and
maintain a storage tank having a ca-
pacity not exceeding 3000 gallons in
premises situate on the northerly side
of Nineteenth street between Valencia
and Dolores streets, the same to be
used for storing therein crude petrol-
eum to be used as fuel under boilers
on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey,
Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher,
Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin,
Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson
—15.

Resolution No. 640 (New Series),
Granting Hammond & Brod permission,
during the pleasure of the Board of
Supervisors, to erect and maintain a
storage tank having a capacity not ex-
ceeding 1500 gallons in premises situ-
ate on the northeast corner of Polk
and Post streets, the same to be used
for storing therein crude petroleum to
be used as fuel under boilers situate on
said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey,
Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher,
Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin,
Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson
—15.

Resolution No. 641 (New Series),
Granting George W. Hooper permission,
during the pleasure of the Board of
Supervisors, to erect and maintain a
storage tank having a capacity not ex-
ceeding 3000 gallons in premises situ-
ate on the westerly line of Howard
street, 87 feet 6 inches southerly from
Sixteenth street, the same to be used
for storing therein crude petroleum to
be used as fuel under boilers on said
premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey,
Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher,
Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin,
Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson
—15.

Resolution No. 642 (New Series), Granting Louis Lame permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 240 gallons in premises situate at No. 412 Church street, the same to be used for storing therein crude petroleum to be used as fuel on said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Resolution No. 643 (New Series), Granting La Parisiene Bakery permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a storage tank for fuel oil having a capacity not exceeding 150 gallons, in premises situate on Mission street between Eleventh and Twelfth streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 124, Ordinance No. 114 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order the following work:

1. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on both sides of Valencia street between Twenty-third and Twenty-sixth streets.

2. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on both sides of Sixteenth street between Sanchez and Market streets.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Bill No. 125, Ordinance No. 115 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order the following work:

1. That Church street between

Fourteenth avenue and Duboce avenue be improved by the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on both sides thereof, including the southeast angular corner of Church and Reservoir streets.

2. That the crossing of M street and Tenth avenue be improved by the construction of a 12-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances.

3. That the crossing of Castro and Twenty-third streets be improved by the construction of stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks on the four angular corners thereof, and by the construction of a bituminous rock pavement.

4. That Seventh avenue, between Clement street and Point Lobos avenue, be improved by the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on both sides thereof.

5. That the crossing of Guerrero and Twenty-second streets be improved by the construction of an artificial stone sidewalk on the southwesterly angular corner thereof.

6. That H street, between Seventh and Eighth avenue, be improved by the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on the southerly side thereof.

7. That Twenty-sixth street, between Guerrero and Dolores streets, be improved by the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on both sides thereof.

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Changing Grades on Vallejo street Between Taylor and Jones Streets.

Bill No. 126, Ordinance No. 116 (New Series), entitled: "Changing and establishing grades at certain points on Vallejo street."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Full Acceptance, Street Crossing.

Bill No. 127, Ordinance No. 117 (New Series), entitled: "Providing for the full acceptance of the roadway of the crossing of Twenty-third and Sanchez streets, paved with bituminous rock."

Ayes—Supervisors Bixton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin,

Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Extensions of Time, Street Work.

Resolution No. 644 (New Series), Granting the City Street Improvement Company an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after January 13, 1907, within which to complete the contract for the grading and constructing of stone curbs and asphalt pavement on Market street, between Second and East streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been delayed on account of the obstruction of laying sewers and the construction of railroad tracks.

Also, an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after January 13, 1907, within which to complete the contract for grading and constructing stone curbs and asphalt pavement on Market street, between Valencia and Twelfth streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been delayed on account of the reconstruction of railroad tracks.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Resolution No. 645 (New Series), Granting Healy-Tibbitts Construction Company an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after November 24, 1906, within which to complete the contract for the construction of a sewer and appurtenances in Baker street, between Union and Lewis streets, and the construction of sewers in adjacent streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractor has been unable to procure the necessary material to complete the work.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Licensing Stationary Engineers and Firemen.

Bill No. 129, Ordinance No. 118 (New Series), entitled, "Regulating the operation of stationary steam engines and stationary steam boilers, providing for the licensing of engineers and firemen thereof and repealing all orders and parts of orders and all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher,

Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

Declaratory Ordinance, Auxiliary Water System for Fire Protection.

Bill No. 128, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Determining and declaring that public interest and necessity demand the construction and completion of an auxiliary water system for fire protection and for sanitary and flushing purposes, and directing the Board of Public Works to procure through the City Engineer and file with the Supervisors plans and estimates of the cost of said system," heretofore *passed for printing*, was taken up.

Amendment.

Supervisor Gallagher moved to amend the Bill by striking out the paragraph of Section 3 thereof headed "District No. 4", and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"System of Cisterns.—A system of cisterns of suitable capacity, to be constructed at such locations in the business and residence sections, as may be designated by the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department."

So ordered.

Passed for Printing.

Thereupon, Bill No. 128, as amended, was *passed for printing*.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands upon the Treasury amounting to \$60,923.93 and entered in Register of Demands No. 3 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 381 to 646 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Gallagher, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Kelly, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Phillips, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—15.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, BILLS AND MOTIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

Supervisor Gallagher introduced the following Resolution, and moved the

suspension of the rules for its immediate consideration.

So ordered.

Providing for Temporary Repairs of Easterly Portions of Mission and Howard Streets.

Resolved, That the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3500.00) be and the same is hereby set aside and appropriated out of the Surplus Fund for the purpose of placing Mission street, between Second and East streets; Howard street, between Fourth and East streets, and adjacent

streets in good condition, so that the traffic can be diverted from Market street during the repaving of said street between Second and East streets.

The attention of the Auditor and the Treasurer is hereby called to the provisions of this Resolution.

Adopted, on motion of Supervisor Gallagher as Resolution No. 646 (New Series).

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, at the hour of 4:20 o'clock, the Board adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, December 24, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

In the absence of his Honor the Mayor, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Coffey, Gallagher, Walsh, Wilson—4.

No quorum.

ADJOURNMENT.

Whereupon, the Board adjourned, to meet on Monday, December 31, 1906, at 2:30 p. m.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1906.

In Board of Supervisors, Monday, December 31, 1906, 2:30 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

CALLING THE ROLL.

The Roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Boxton, Coffey, Coleman, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Quorum present.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz being absent, Supervisor Gallagher was called to the Chair.

READING THE JOURNAL.

The Journals of the meetings of December 3, December 10, and December 13, 1906, were read and approved.

The reading of the Journals of subsequent meetings was ordered dispensed with.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS FILED WITH THE BOARD.

Petitions, Protests, etc., were pre-

sented, received and referred as follows:

To Artificial Lights Committee

Petition—Of H. A. Meisel and others, for a street light at Union street and Montgomery avenue.

To the Capital and Labor Committee.

Protest—Of the Crocker Estate Company and numerous other residents and taxpayers, against the passage of Bill No. 129, licensing engineers and firemen of stationary engines and boilers.

Communications—From the Merchants' Association of San Francisco, calling attention to the alleged invalidity of several sections of Bill No. 129, licensing of engineers and firemen of stationary engines and boilers, and urging that said Bill be not adopted.

From the International Union of Steam Engineers, Local No. 64, advising that said Local recommends Daniel J. O'Brien for the position of examiner for licenses under the provisions of Bill No. 129, regulating the operation of stationary steam engines and boilers.

To the Charities and Corrections Committee.

Communication—From Alva Udell, requesting a census enumeration of refugees.

To the Equalization of Assessments Committee.

Petitions—Of S. Arata, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$10.79, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1906.

Of L. C. Cull, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$27.86, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1906.

Of A. D. Cutler, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$.72, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1906.

Of Chas. Hagmier, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$4.41, alleged erroneous payment of personal property taxes for the year 1906.

Of Felix Irwin, for the refunding to him of the sum of \$39.56, duplicate payment of taxes on the Real Estate Roll of 1906.

To the Fire Committee.

Petitions—Of the Anchor Brewery, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 14 horsepower in premises situate on the southeast corner of Eighteenth and Hampshire streets.

Of "The Nordhoff", for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 6 horsepower in premises situate No. 1545 Pine street, the same to be used for heating purposes.

Of J. W. London, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 20 horsepower in premises situate No. 7 Zoe place, the same to be used in furnishing power for a steam hammer.

Of Neustadter Bros., for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 80 horsepower in premises situate on the southeast corner of Gough and Grove streets, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Of J. Urity, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 12 horsepower in premises situate No. 2159 Geary street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Of Jean B. Toulouse, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 6 horsepower in premises situate No. 676 Broadway street, the same to be used for laundry purposes.

Of the Anchor Brewery, for permission to store and use crude petroleum for fuel under boilers in premises situate southeast corner of Eighteenth and Hampshire street.

Of the Empire Wagon Company, for permission to store and use crude oil for fuel in premises No. 1227 Howard street.

Of Chas. Bovone, for permission to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 15 horsepower in premises situate on southwest corner Gough and Greenwich streets; also, to store and use crude oil as fuel under boilers on said premises.

Of A. W. Wilson, for permission to store and use crude oil for fuel under boilers in premises situate corner of Turk and Taylor streets.

Of the Ferrolite Company, for permission to store and use crude oil for fuel in premises situate on the northwest corner of Pine and Battery streets.

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

Petitions—Of J. P. Barnes, for per-

mission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses on the northeasterly line of Twelfth street, 182 feet southeasterly from Folsom street.

Of R. E. Greer, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate on the north side of Clementina street between Third and Fourth streets.

Of Julia Lyon, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate on the southeasterly corner of Eleventh and Minna streets.

Of H. A. Kennedy, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses on the southwest corner of Greenwich and Gavin streets.

Of John Morehouse Jr., for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate on the north line of Turk street, 97 feet east of Larkin street.

Of E. Rosenberg, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate No. 25 Madison avenue between Bryant and Harrison streets.

Of the Western Meat Company, for permission to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate on the corner of Sixth and Townsend streets.

Protest—Of Mrs. Carran et al., against the maintainance of a stable at No. 3247 Mission street.

Communication—From the San Francisco County Medical Association, submitting report of the special committee appointed by the said society to investigate the typhoid fever conditions since the fire.

To the Public Utilities Committee

Communications—From the Devisadero Street Improvement Association, submitting list of organizations and associations favoring proposition to sell a franchise over and along the so-called Devisadero street and Mission cross-town line.

From the San Francisco Labor Council, submitting resolutions opposing the proposition to convert the Geary street road into an overhead trolley system.

To the Joint Committee on Public Utilities and Streets, Sewers and Parks.

From the Ocean Side Improvement

Club, condemning the inefficient street car service rendered the Ocean Side District.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

Petitions—Of the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association, for permission to lay a spur-track over and along Division street, connecting its property at the corner of Division street and Florida street with the tracks of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company.

Of the Vermont Marble Company, for permission to lay and maintain a spur-track over and along Japan street and crossing Brannan street between Dover and Second streets.

Of Henry Berenkoff, for permission to blast for grading purposes in Block "O", Park Lane Tract.

Of A. A. Mortret, for the paving of the crossing of Eighteenth and Danvers streets.

Protest—Of John A. Jacobs, against the blockading of Twelfth avenue South and "Q" street, by the Railroad Company.

To the Special Committee on Water Supply.

Communication—From Russell L. Dunn, in relation to the Tuolumne River Water Supply.

To his Honor the Mayor.

Bond—Of Henry Berenkopf, in the sum of \$5000.00, with the Aetna Indemnity Company as a surety thereon, filed in connection with his application for permission to blast for grading purposes in Block "O", Park Lane Tract.

File.

The petition of Auditorium Skating Rink, for permission to conduct a masquerade ball on January 1st, 1907, was received, read and ordered placed on file.

COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS FROM CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

Communications and Reports from City and County Officers were received and referred as follows:

To the Finance Committee.

From the Recorder, recommending that provision be made for the appointment of an extra deputy and two index clerks in his office to meet the extra work entailed through the operation of the "McEnerney Act".

To the Hospital and Health Committee.

From the Board of Health, requesting that a fund be provided to furnish 28 stoves to be used for heating service in the City and County Hospital.

To the Judiciary Committee.

From Hon. Thos. F. Graham, Judge Superior Court, Department No. 7, with requisition for one set of California Reports, and one Webster's Dictionary.

To the Printing and Salaries Committee.

From the Auditor, with request for the binding of the City and County Tax Rolls.

To the Public Building Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, with requisition for office furniture for various departments.

From the Assessor, with requisition for vault for the accommodation of the records of his office.

From the Tax Collector, with request for electric light bulbs; also, with requisition for four Reliable radiators.

From the Recorder, with requisition for electric light bulbs.

From the Sheriff, requesting permission to remove his office to premises No. 18 Eddy street, where eight rooms may be rented at the sum of two hundred dollars per month.

From the Justices' Clerk, with requisition for office furniture and window shades.

To the Streets, Sewers and Parks Committee.

From the Board of Public Works, recommending the expediency of performing the following street work, the expense thereof to be assessed in whole or in part on private property, to wit:

1. That an 8-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed on "B" street between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

2. That an 8-inch iron stone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed on Twenty-eighth street between Castro and Noe streets.

3. That artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on Forty-ninth avenue between "B" and Fulton streets, and that the roadway of the crossing of "B" street and Forty-ninth avenue be paved with bituminous rock.

4. That an 8-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances be constructed on Carolina street between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets.

Also, recommending the ordering of the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on Stanyan street between Parnassus avenue and Eighteenth street; the construction of an 8-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances on the crossing of California street and Twenty-seventh avenue; the construction of artificial stone sidewalks on Germania avenue between Webster and Fillmore

streets and on the westerly side of Webster street between Hermann street and Germania avenue; the construction of stone curbs, a bituminous rock pavement and artificial stone sidewalks on Eleventh avenue between California and Clement streets; the construction of a 15-inch ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances in Thirtieth street between Noe and Day streets; the construction of stone curbs and a bituminous rock pavement on Oakwood street from Eighteenth to its southerly termination, and of the construction of a bituminous rock pavement and artificial stone sidewalks on the crossing of Dolores and Twenty-seventh streets.

Also, recommending that grades be changed and established at certain points and elevations on Kearny street, on Pine street, on Clay street, on Sacramento street, on Commercial street, on California street, on Washington street and on Jackson street.

Also, transmitting a map showing the district affected by and to be assessed for the change of grades on City Hall avenue between McAllister and Larkin streets and on Marshall Square between City Hall avenue and Market street, and also submitting an estimate of the cost involved in making said proposed change of grades.

Also, transmitting a map showing district affected by and to be assessed for change of grades on Precita avenue between Coso avenue and Mission street and on Coso avenue between Precita avenue and Bernal avenue.

Also, recommending the reduction of the width of sidewalks on Nineteenth street between Indiana and Minnesota streets.

Also, recommending the reduction of the width of sidewalks on De Long avenue between Piedmont and Frederick streets.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$3500.00 be set aside for the purpose of placing Mission street between Second and East streets, Howard street between Fourth and East streets and adjacent streets, in good condition so that the traffic can be diverted from Market street during the repaving of said street.

Also, recommending that the sum of \$3500 be provided for the repaving of Army street, Vermont street, Fifteenth avenue South and San Bruno avenue.

Also, recommending that J. J. Dowling be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after January 9,

1907, within which to complete his contract for the paving of Harrison street between Fourth and Sixth streets.

Also, recommending that W. F. Hanrahan be granted an extension of 90 days' time from and after January 7, 1907, within which to complete his contract for the construction of the Upper Sunset sewer.

File.

A communication from the City Attorney, submitting a copy of opinion rendered the Registrar of Voters, in the matter of the payment of overtime to extra deputies was received, read and ordered placed on file.

Relating to Construction of Temporary Court House.

Communication.

A communication from the Judges of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco, requesting that steps be taken at once by the Board of Supervisors to erect a temporary Courthouse on the Lincoln School lot at Fifth and Mission streets, was received and read.

Privilege of Floor.

Hon. Carroll Cook, Judge of Superior Court, Dept. 12, was granted the privilege of the floor and asked that the Board of Education be requested to permit the erection of the temporary Courthouse on the Lincoln School lot.

Introduction of Resolution.

Thereupon, under suspension of the rules, Supervisor Nicholas introduced the following Resolution, and moved its adoption:

Whereas, There is no site for the erection of a Courthouse to accommodate the twelve departments of this City and County; and

Whereas, the Judges of said Court have petitioned this Board to erect some suitable building for their accommodation; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Education of this City and County be requested to permit the erection of such a building for Courthouse purposes on a portion of school lot on Market and Fifth streets; be it further

Resolved, That if such permission be granted, a temporary building shall be constructed on said property, which building will accommodate all twelve departments of the Superior Court, the Justices' Courts, the County Clerk, the Sheriff, District Attorney and the Law Library.

Amendment.

Supervisor Wilson moved to amend the Resolution by including therein a request that the Board of Library Trustees permit the erection of the temporary Courthouse on the Library site.

So ordered.

Adopted.

Whereupon, said Resolution as amended, was *adopted* as Resolution No. 647 (New Series), reading as follows:

Whereas, There is no site for the erection of a Courthouse to accommodate the twelve departments of this City and County; and

Whereas, The Judges of said Court have petitioned this Board to erect some suitable building for their accommodation; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Education and the Board of Library Trustees of this City and County be requested to permit the erection of such a building for Courthouse purposes, on a portion of school lots on Market and Fifth streets, or upon a portion of the library block bounded by Van Ness avenue, Hayes, Franklin and Fell streets; be it further

Resolved, That if such permission be granted, a temporary building shall be constructed on said property, which building will accommodate all twelve departments of the Superior Court, the Justices' Courts, the County Clerk, the Sheriff, District Attorney and the Law Library.

Bids for Sale of Street Railroad Franchises.

The consideration of bids for sale of street railroad franchises was proceeded with.

Privilege of Floor.

Wm. M. Abbott, Attorney for United Railroads of San Francisco, was granted the privilege of the floor, and requested that an extension of two weeks' time be allowed for opening of bid for sale of franchises on Sixteenth street between Kansas and Seventh streets, stating that certain litigation was pending concerning the use of the street which would probably be determined within the time requested.

Identification of Bid.

Mr. Abbott identified the bid inclosed in buff-colored envelope in hands of Clerk and endorsed as being filed at the hour of 11:55 o'clock a. m. December 29, 1906, as the one filed by the United Railroads of San Francisco.

Opening of Bid Postponed.

Supervisor Boxton moved that the opening of the bid of the United Railroads of San Francisco for franchise on Sixteenth street from Kansas street to Seventh street be postponed two weeks.

So ordered.

Bid of Parkside Transit Company.

The bid of the Parkside Transit Company for a street railroad franchise was opened and read, being as follows:

San Francisco, December 27th, 1906.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, and George B. Keane, Esq., Clerk of said Board.

San Francisco, Cal.

Sirs: In accordance with the provisions of Resolution No. 539 (New Series), passed November 19th, 1906, and approved November 20th, 1906, and that certain Notice of Sale, entitled, "Notice—Street Railroad Franchise for Sale," and in compliance with the provisions of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, the undersigned hereby bids the following percentage for said franchise in said Resolution set forth and described, to wit:

Three (3) per centum of the gross receipts accruing thereunder during the first five years, for which the said franchise is granted.

Four (4) per centum of said gross receipts during the next succeeding ten years, and

Five (5) per centum of said gross receipts during the next succeeding ten years.

We enclose herewith a bond in the penal sum of Ten Thousand (10,000) Dollars conditioned that we shall well and truly perform the conditions set forth and defined in Resolution No. 539 (New Series), and upon which said franchise is to be granted.

Yours truly,

PARKSIDE TRANSIT COMPANY.

By J. E. GREEN, President.

By G. A. NICHOLLS, Asst. Secretary.

Adopted.

Accepting Bid of Parkside Transit Company, and Awarding Franchise.

Thereupon, the following Resolution was introduced, to wit:

Resolved, That the bid of the Parkside Transit Company, a railway corporation, accompanied by an appropriate bond heretofore filed, for the purchase of the street railway fran-

chise heretofore advertised for sale by the Clerk of this Board, in accordance with the provisions of Resolution No. 539 (New Series), wherein said Parkside Transit Company bids three (3) per cent of the gross receipts of such railroad for the first five (5) years of the period for which said franchise is to be granted; four (4) per cent of the gross receipts during the next succeeding ten (10) years, and five (5) per cent of the gross receipts during the next succeeding ten (10) years, and agrees to take the same in accordance with the conditions in said Resolution No. 539 (New Series), set forth and imposed, be, and the same is hereby accepted; and said franchise so described in Resolution No. 539 (New Series), be and the same is hereby struck off, sold and awarded to the Parkside Transit Company, a corporation, said corporation being the highest bidder therefor.

Adopted, as Resolution No. 648 (New Series) by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Passed for Printing.

Granting Franchise to Parkside Transit Company.

Thereupon, Bill No. 137, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Granting to Parkside Transit Company, a railway corporation, a franchise for a right of way, and the right to construct, maintain and operate a single or double track railroad, together with all necessary branches, side tracks, turn-outs, switches, curves, crossings, depot and terminal tracks, and facilities along, over, under and across certain streets in the City and County of San Francisco," was *passed for printing*, by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following matters heretofore passed for printing, were taken up, *finally passed* by the following vote, and numbered as follows, to wit:

Authorizing Payments, Supplies.

Resolution No. 649 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2700, to be made out of the Surplus Fund in payment to the Pacific Tool and Supply Company for machinery supplied Corporation Yard of the San

Francisco Fire Department, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 650 (New Series). Authorizing an expenditure of \$4123.68 to be made out of the General Fund in payment to

Thos. Morton & Sons, coal....\$ 554.50
Barber Asphalt Paving Co.,

street repairs 2500.00
Spring Valley Water Co.,

sprinkling 500.00

Blyth & Trott, lumber 569.18

\$4123.68

As per contracts and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Boiler Permit.

Resolution No. 651 (New Series), Granting W. C. Worth permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of ten (10) horsepower in premises, No. 421 Valencia street, the same to be used for vulcanizing automobile tires.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Extension of Time, Street Work.

Resolution No. 652 (New Series), Granting Williams & Belser an extension of sixty (60) days' time from and after January 2, 1907, within which to complete the contract for the repaving of Mission street between Fifth and Sixth streets.

This extension of time is granted for the reason that the contractors have been delayed on account of the interference of the railroad company in the reconstruction of its tracks.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Permit to Blast.

Resolution No. 653 (New Series), Granting the Occidental Contracting Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for the purpose of removing the ruins of Mission Dolores Church at Sixteenth and Dolores streets.

Provided that said Occidental Com-

tracting Company file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$5000, as fixed by the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtou, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Ordering Street Work.

Bill No. 130, Ordinance No. 119 (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same," the provisions of which order the following work:

1. That stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the four angular corners of the crossing of Eighth avenue and J street; that the roadway thereof be paved with bituminous rock pavement, and that brick cesspools and ironstone pipe culverts be constructed, one each, on the northeasterly, southeasterly and southwesterly corners of said crossing.

2. That stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks be constructed on the four angular corners of the crossing of K street and Ninth avenue; that a bituminous rock pavement be constructed on the roadway thereof, and that two brick cesspools and ironstone pipe culverts be constructed on the southeasterly and southwesterly angular corners of the said crossing.

3. That the crossing of Eighth avenue and I street be improved by the construction of stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks on each of the four angular corners thereof; by the construction of bituminous rock pavement on the roadway thereof, and by the construction of an ironstone pipe sewer and appurtenances in said crossing.

4. That the crossing of M street and Ninth avenue be improved by the construction of stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks on each of the four angular corners thereof; by the construction of a bituminous rock pavement on the roadway thereof, and by the construction of an ironstone pipe sewer with appurtenances in said crossing.

5. That the crossing of N street and Ninth avenue be improved by the construction of stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks on the four angular corners thereof; by the construction of a bituminous rock pavement on the

roadway thereof, and by the construction of four cesspools in said crossing.

6. That the crossing of K street and Tenth avenue be improved by grading the same to official line and grade; by the construction of stone curbs and artificial stone sidewalks on the four angular corners thereof; by the construction of a bituminous rock pavement on the roadway thereof, and by the construction of four brick cesspools in said crossing.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtou, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Sale of Bonds.

Bill No. 131, Ordinance No. 120 (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the sale of certain bonds of the City and County of San Francisco, fixing the date when bids will be received for the purchase of the same and directing the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to give notice thereof," the provisions of which provide for the sale on the 28th day of January, 1907, of the following bonds of the City and County:

For the sale of Sewer Bonds to the amount of one million eighty-seven thousand two hundred (\$1,087,200) dollars, comprising all the bonds of the denominations of one hundred (\$100) dollars, five hundred (\$500) dollars and one thousand (\$1000) dollars of the fifth to the tenth series, both inclusive.

For the sale of Street Bonds to the amount of four hundred and eighty-six thousand (\$486,000) dollars, comprising all the bonds of one hundred (\$100) dollars, five hundred (\$500) dollars and one thousand (\$1000) dollars of the fifteenth to the twenty-sixth series, both inclusive.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtou, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Closing Ocean Avenue Between Corbett Avenue and the Great Highway.

Bill No. 132, Ordinance No. 121 (New Series), entitled, "Closing, vacating and abandoning Ocean avenue from its intersection with the easterly line of Ocean boulevard (or the Great Highway) to its intersection with the westerly line of Corbett avenue, being for a distance of one (1) block."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxtou, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Authorizing Payments, Construction and Repairs, Park.

Resolution No. 654 (New Series),

Authorizing an expenditure of \$244.45, to be made out of the Park Fund in payment to the following named, to wit:

The McGilvray Stone Co., for repairs to music stand.....\$3534.55
Cronan's Eagle Cornice Works, for material and labor..... 709.90

\$4244.45

As per contracts and bills rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Engine and Boiler Permits.

Resolution No. 655 (New Series), Granting W. T. Thomson & Son. permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 8 horsepower in premises situate at Duboce avenue and West Mission street, the same to be used for heating glue.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 656 (New Series), Granting the Popular Restaurant permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 8 horsepower in premises situate 911-913 O'Farrell street, the same to be used for steaming potatoes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 657 (New Series), Granting Geo. W. Caswell permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain a boiler of six (6) horsepower in premises situate No. 530 Folsom street, the same to be used for heating purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 658 (New Series), Granting Elk Tamale Canning Company permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to erect and maintain an engine and boiler of 8 horsepower in premises situate No. 2717 Nineteenth street, the same to be used for manufacturing purposes.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Oil Permits.

Resolution No. 659 (New Series),

Granting Ideal Restaurant permission to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 250 gallons in premises situate No. 2279 Market street, for the purpose of storing crude petroleum to be used as fuel in said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 660 (New Series), Granting National Brewing Company permission to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 3000 gallons in premises situate on Fulton and Webster streets, for the purpose of storing crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 661 (New Series), Granting Fredericksburg Bottling Company permission to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 2500 gallons in premises situate at Eighteenth and Alabama streets, for the purpose of storing crude petroleum to be used as fuel under boilers in said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Resolution No. 662 (New Series), Granting California Cafe permission to erect and maintain a storage tank having a capacity not exceeding 450 gallons in premises situate at 1624-1626 Ellis street, for the purpose of storing crude petroleum to be used as fuel in said premises.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Authorizing Payment, Lighting Service.

Resolution No. 663 (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$18,644.92, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to San Francisco Gas and Electric Company for lighting of streets and public buildings during the month of November, 1906, as per contract and bill rendered.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Amending Ordinance Regulating Rates of Fare of Public Passenger Vehicles.

Bill No. 92, Ordinance No. 122 (New

Series), entitled, "Amending Section 7 of Order No. 1611, entitled, 'Regulating the use of vehicles on the public streets and boats in the waters of the Bay,' approved December 23, 1880," the provisions of which amend the rates of fare to be charged by public passenger vehicles.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Amending "Building Law", Relative to Numbering of Buildings.

Bill No. 120, Ordinance No. 123 (New Series), entitled, "Amending Section 351 of Ordinance No. 31 (New Series), entitled, 'Regulating the construction, erection, enlargement, raising, alteration, repair, removal, maintenance, use and height of buildings; regulating character and use of materials in and for buildings; establishing fire limits, and repealing all ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance,' approved July 5, 1906," the provisions of which relate to the numbering of buildings.

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Amending "Building Law", Relative to Mansard Roofs and to "Mill Construction."

Bill No. 133, Ordinance No. 124 (New Series), entitled, "An Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 31 (New Series), entitled, 'Regulating the construction, erection, enlargement, raising, altering, repair, removal, maintenance, use and height of buildings, regulating character and use of materials in and for buildings, establishing fire limits and repealing all Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance,' approved July 5, 1906, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 235A, relating to Mansard roofs, and amending Sections numbered 43, 44 and 196 thereof."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Changing Grades on Russell Street.

Bill No. 135, Ordinance No. 125 (New Series), entitled, "Changing and establishing grades at certain points on Russell street."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Declaratory Ordinance, Auxilliary Water System for Fire Protection.

Bill No. 128, Ordinance No. 126

(New Series), entitled, "Determining and declaring that public interest and necessity demand the construction and completion of an auxilliary water system for fire protection and for sanitary and flushing purposes, and directing the Board of Public Works to procure through the City Engineer and file with the Supervisors plans and estimates of the cost of said system."

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

Action Deferred.

The following Bills heretofore passed for printing, were taken up and, on motion, action thereon was postponed one week, to wit:

County Clerk Appoint Ten Additional Copyists.

Bill No. 136, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Providing for the employment of ten additional copyists for the County Clerk's office, and fixing their compensation."

Ordering Street Work.

Also, Bill No. 103, Ordinance No. — (New Series), entitled, "Ordering the performance of certain street work to be done in the City and County of San Francisco, approving and adopting specifications therefor, and authorizing the Board of Public Works to enter into contract for doing the same."

PRESENTATION OF BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

Demands on the Treasury amounting to \$53,180.27, and entered in register of Demands No. 3 (New Series), and numbered consecutively therein 653 to 1321 inclusive, were presented, read and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, by Supervisor Davis, reported in favor of allowing the demands heretofore read and referred, said Committee having duly examined and approved the same, and, on his motion, said demands were so allowed and ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Boxton, Coleman, Davis, Furey, Gallagher, Lonergan, Mamlock, McGushin, Nicholas, Rea, Walsh, Wilson—12.

NEW BUSINESS.

Relating to Laundry Work for Emergency Hospital.

Supervisor Lonergan called attention to a bill presented by the La Grande Laundry for laundry work for the Emergency Hospital in the sum of

\$150, where the same service has heretofore cost \$75.

Referred to Hospital and Health Committee.

Passed for Printing.

The following matters were *passed for printing*:

Authorizing Refund of Taxes.

On motion of Supervisor Gallagher:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$646.38, to be made out of the Duplicate Tax Fund in payment to San Francisco Savings Union for refund of duplicate payment of taxes 1906-7.

As per bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Hauling Voting Machines.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$2232, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to L. Abrams for hauling voting machines.

As per contract and bill rendered.

Authorizing Payment, Repairs Streets.

On motion of Supervisor Rea:

Resolution No. — (New Series), Authorizing an expenditure of \$500, to be made out of the General Fund in payment to Barber Asphalt Paving Company for repairs to bituminous pavements on Eighth street, from Market to Folsom and Montgomery street from Market to California street, during the month of November, 1906.

As per contract and bill rendered.

Blasting Permits.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Flinn and Treacy permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for grading purposes on property on the east side of Alabama street, between Precita avenue and Malcolm street; provided that said permittees shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5000), as fixed by the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Also, Resolution No. — (New Series), Granting Henry Berkenkopf permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to explode blasts for grading purposes in Block "O," Park Lane Tract; provided that said permittee shall execute and file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5000), as fixed by the Board of Public Works, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1204.

Extension Time, Street Work.

Also, Resolution No. — (New

Series), Granting W. F. Hanrahan an extension of ninety (90) days' time from and after January 7th, 1907, within which to complete his contract for the construction of the Upper Sunset Sewer, for the reason that the contractor has been delayed in receiving brick from the brick company, ordered before the fire.

Adopted.

The following Resolution was *adopted*:

Stable Permit.

On motion of Supervisor Lonergan: Resolution No. 664 (New Series), as follows:

Resolved, That R. E. Greer be and he is hereby granted permission, during the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors, to conduct and maintain a stable for the accommodation of more than four horses in premises situate on the north side of Clementina street between Fourth and Fifth streets.

In Matter of Suspension of Wm H. Langdon from Office of District Attorney.

The matter of hearing of charges preferred by his Honor the Mayor, in suspending Wm. H. Langdon from the office of District Attorney of the City and County was proceeded with.

Motion.

No appearance of Wm. H. Langdon in person or by attorney being noted, Supervisor Davis moved that the investigation be continued over until Monday, January 7, 1907, at 2:30 p. m. Motion carried.

Addresses.

Supervisor Wilson, who had been elected to the office of Railroad Commissioner, Second District, California, addressed the Board, extending his kindest wishes to the members thereof and to his Honor the Mayor, stating in part that his relations during the year, with his colleagues, had been most pleasant and cordial, and that only the kindest memories thereof would be retained by him.

Supervisor Gallagher, from the Chair, congratulated Mr. Wilson upon his elevation by the people to the office of Railroad Commissioner, complimented him upon his ability and upon his firmness of character displayed while in the Board, and in behalf of its members wished him good luck and God speed.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 5 o'clock, adjourned.

GEO. B. KEANE, Clerk.



